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# Wagner Park Flowers



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## Important To Purchasers Read Carefully

**EARLY ORDERS.** Place your orders early, as it is almost impossible during the rush of the planting season to fill an order on short notice without doing an injustice to others who have their orders previously booked. In fairness to all, we practice filling orders in rotation as received, in accordance, however, with locality and suitable time for planting.

**CLUB ORDERS.** By several friends or neighbors combining their orders is an advantage, as you can then order in larger quantities at lower rates, also save on transportation charges. Quantity rates as priced in this catalogue are, six plants of any one variety at dozen rates. Twenty-five plants of any one variety at hundred rates. Less quantities are at single rate prices unless specially noted. Our complete stock makes it possible for customers to secure anything needed (for lawn and flower beds, kitchen garden or conservatory) in one shipment, which is a large saving that would otherwise be incurred when ordering from several firms.

**SHIPPING FACILITIES.** We are admirably located for making shipments, North, East, South, or West, having the C., C. & St. L. Railroad East and West, the C., H. & D. Railroad North and South; also have the Western Ohio Electric, all of which connect with various lines. We have the Wells-Fargo and American express companies, which make our shipping facilities first class for any direction, thus assuring you of prompt and most direct service. When no instructions are given, we use our best judgment as to how to ship.

**PLANTS BY MAIL.** We deliver to any address in the United States all articles in this catalogue marked prepaid. In ordering plants by mail, please bear in mind that parcels are limited as to weight, and a volume measuring only 72 inches combined length and girth. This will naturally limit parcel post shipments to the small sized articles.

**PLANTS BY EXPRESS.** This is a most satisfactory method of transportation, as it enables us to give good values in the form of fine, large plants. We do not pre-pay express shipments, but larger plants are sent, and if goods are miscarried, they can be easily traced and if damaged in transit, more easily rectified. When sent by express, we usually send some extras; again, plants are handled by express companies at special rates.

**FREIGHT SHIPMENTS.** This method of shipment is advised only with heavy and bulky stock.

**GUARANTEE.** Most failures with plants and bulbs growing are due to causes entirely beyond our control, such as unfavorable weather and soil conditions, too deep or too shallow planting, etc., which renders it impossible for us to guarantee success. We take all possible care to supply such stock as will, under proper conditions, produce satisfactory results. We guarantee stock to be true to name, and will, upon proper proof, replace any that may prove untrue.

**REMITTANCES.** Remittances should be made by Post Office Money Order, Registered Letter, Bank Draft, or Express Company Money Order.

**The Wagner Park Nursery Co.**  
SIDNEY, OHIO

FLORISTS -- NURSERYMEN -- LANDSCAPE GARDENERS





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## Wagner Park Flowers are Famous from Coast to Coast

We Prepay Transportation on all of the bargains offered in this catalogue. Everything marked prepaid comes under the **Free Delivery Offer**. Our prepaid offers will surprise you. Wagner plants are so vigorous, sturdy, and full of life, and so carefully prepared for shipment as to insure arrival at their destination in a flourishing condition. This means that they go into the ground at your place with unimpaired vitality and ready to resume their growth with undiminished vigor.

The moderate price of Wagner Nursery stock is a pleasant surprise to many people. Especially to those who have heard of the high quality of Wagner Park plants it is natural they would expect such stock expensive, but after dealing with us they discover that our prices are extremely reasonable considering the quality of stock they receive from us, should it be a specimen plant or a parcel post prepaid plant. The same careful attention is given orders, no matter how small, as is given the largest orders.

Distance makes no difference. We want every flower lover, regardless of where they live, to at least give us a trial order to let us demonstrate that they will be well pleased with everything ordered from us. Send your order now; we will ship at once or any time you are ready to plant.

**The Wagner Park Nursery Co., Sidney, Ohio.**

**FLORISTS—NURSERYMEN—LANDSCAPE GARDENERS**

### AN INVITATION

*We extend a cordial invitation to every one interested in beautiful surroundings to visit Wagner Park Nurseries. June, July, and August are the best months, but visitors are welcome at any time. When touring in your auto, do not fail to include Wagner Park in your tour. Good roads lead in every direction.*

## Wagner Quality Combined with Wagner Service Assures Satisfactory Results.

Special attention is called to the prices we quote for **regular, large, and extra large** sizes. Any one at all familiar with growing plants will know it is possible to have them in the various stages of growth and in the different sizes.

### READ CAREFULLY THE FOLLOWING EXPLANATION.

**REGULAR SIZE.** This is our lowest priced stock. The plants we send out for this price are good, thrifty, young, well-rooted stock, which will grow and give satisfaction, and recommended to those who are satisfied to wait for the fully developed effects and results.

**LARGE SIZE.** This is a class of plants that are quite well developed and from which good results are obtained even the first season; in fact, of such size as many nurseries offer as extra large. We highly recommend this size, as they are so well grown that results are almost assured even to the most inexperienced planters.

**EXTRA LARGE SIZE.** These extra selected plants are of such age and size to produce immediate effects. All of this size have been frequently root and top pruned to make them compact and bushy and well supplied with fibrous roots. Those desiring quick results, order of our largest size stock.

# WAGNER'S IS A SERVICE NURSERY

Not the mere Selling of Nursery Stock But Everything  
We Ship is Prepared Ready to Plant and Grow.

## FREE SERVICE

### Note Particularly What We Offer This Season

*Every Tree, Shrub, and Plant is carefully pruned by our experts before shipping; you have only to plant in well-prepared soil and watch them grow. This means much more work for us, but we do it with pleasure, looking towards the satisfaction and greater returns our customers derive from the plants.*

It is a realized fact that more failures with nursery stock—Roses, Shrubs, Trees, and Plants in general—are due to improper pruning at planting time than from any other cause. Naturally the digging of a plant or tree is more or less of a check to its growth, so it becomes necessary to do a certain amount of pruning (which, of course, varies according to species and varieties) to give the roots an opportunity to again become established in the new location without an overburden to supply the necessary nourishment to so much top-growth. Again, this pruning induces stronger bottom growths, which is the foundation for making a shapely plant and from which good results may be expected. While from improper pruning you can only expect weak, short growths, and those plants that flower to produce only small blossoms. We feel this a needed service to the amateur, and while it makes much more work for us, we do it with the greatest pleasure, that our customers may obtain the very best results and effects from our plants. This we know will be as greatly appreciated by our patrons as the special service we have offered for years, to give free advice to those interested in having their grounds artistically planned, which we are glad to announce also originated with us.

There are some things which can be pruned only at certain seasons, and full instructions for anything of this nature will be sent with shipment. We, therefore, who are experienced, offer this additional service to our customers that the failure of plants to grow from this cause may be reduced to a minimum.

NOTE.—Any one preferring to have stock shipped unpruned, kindly so state when ordering, when we will gladly comply with the request.

### Treatment of Plants on Arrival

If plants arrive during freezing weather, do not unpack them immediately, but place in some cool though not frozen spot, such as a shed or outhouse, until they commence to thaw out.

If they arrive during hot, dry weather, they should, if possible, be planted immediately and well watered. If impossible to do this, then heel in (throw soil over the roots) and water, until the permanent bed is ready for the plants. If the roots seem dry when received, moisten them immediately, and place in the shade. Always keep the roots where they are not exposed to drying winds.

#### PRICES PER DOZEN AND HUNDREDS.

6 plants of any one variety at dozen rate; 25 plants of any one variety at 100 rate.

All plants listed at 10 cents are	\$1.00 per dozen;	\$6.00 per 100.
All plants listed at 15 cents are	\$1.50 per dozen;	\$10.00 per 100.
All plants listed at 25 cents are	\$2.50 per dozen;	\$15.00 per 100.
All plants listed at 35 cents are	\$3.50 per dozen;	\$25.00 per 100.
All plants listed at 50 cents are	\$5.00 per dozen;	\$35.00 per 100.

The Wagner Park Nursery Co., Sidney, O.



# Roses

## The Most Glorious Flowers of the Garden

**DELIVERED FREE**

All our Roses are sent **PREPAID**  
anywhere in the U. S. except  
those varieties on page 11.

The rose is a source of interest to all flower lovers everywhere, and a necessity to every well-planted garden. The demand for good garden roses is greatly on the increase. People are beginning to appreciate the value of introducing roses more boldly in with general plantation. At the same time the "rose garden" is extending its appeal.

One may use roses profitably anywhere, often in very restricted space. They have manifold uses as practical climbers, covering ugliness with beauty, clothing bare banks and walls with color and grace.

Wagner, as a Rose Specialist, growing his stock in exceptionally favorable soil and climate, offers the best opportunities possible for "Success with Roses."

We send out only strong, well-rooted plants, in perfect condition for "taking hold" vigorously in alien soil.

Special skill is brought to the production of choice roses of less hardy habit. In this respect Wagner Nurseries are an incomparable resource to the rose lover of intelligence and taste.

Our collection of free-blooming hardy roses, such as we urge for general selection, is second to none. This list includes varieties adapted to every purpose, house walls, trellis, pergolas, rose groups, etc. The rose houses and rose fields at Wagner Park indeed comprise a perfect microcosm of the rose world.

We place our knowledge of roses at your disposal, being very glad to help you, when it is desired, in the selection of varieties and offering complete information on the subject of successful rose culture in any part of the United States. We make special designs also of rose gardens, rose walks, etc., etc. We want you to know Wagner Roses if you do not already know them.

### **GENERAL DIRECTIONS FOR THE CULTURE OF ROSES.**

**WHEN TO PLANT.** Field grown plants should be planted as early in the spring as possible. Pot plants may be planted at any time, but do better if planted early, after all danger of frost is past.

**PREPARATION OF THE SOIL.** Roses will grow and give good results in any fertile, well-drained soil, but they thrive best in a soil consisting of considerable clay. Dig the soil deep and if drainage is imperfect it must be provided for. It is worth while to use care in the preparation of the beds, as the general health of the plants, quantity and quality of flowers usually more than repays the extra cost expended on this detail. Stir the soil frequently but not too deep, or the roots will be disturbed.

**PRUNING.** About the end of October it is well to cut back any long canes of the strong growing sorts. This prevents them from being whipped by the winter winds, which, unless staked, would loosen and break the tender, feeding roots. The principal pruning, however, should be done in spring before they start growth. Cut away all dead wood and cut all live branches at least one-half their previous year's growth. This insures strong bottom growths and large flowers on long stems.

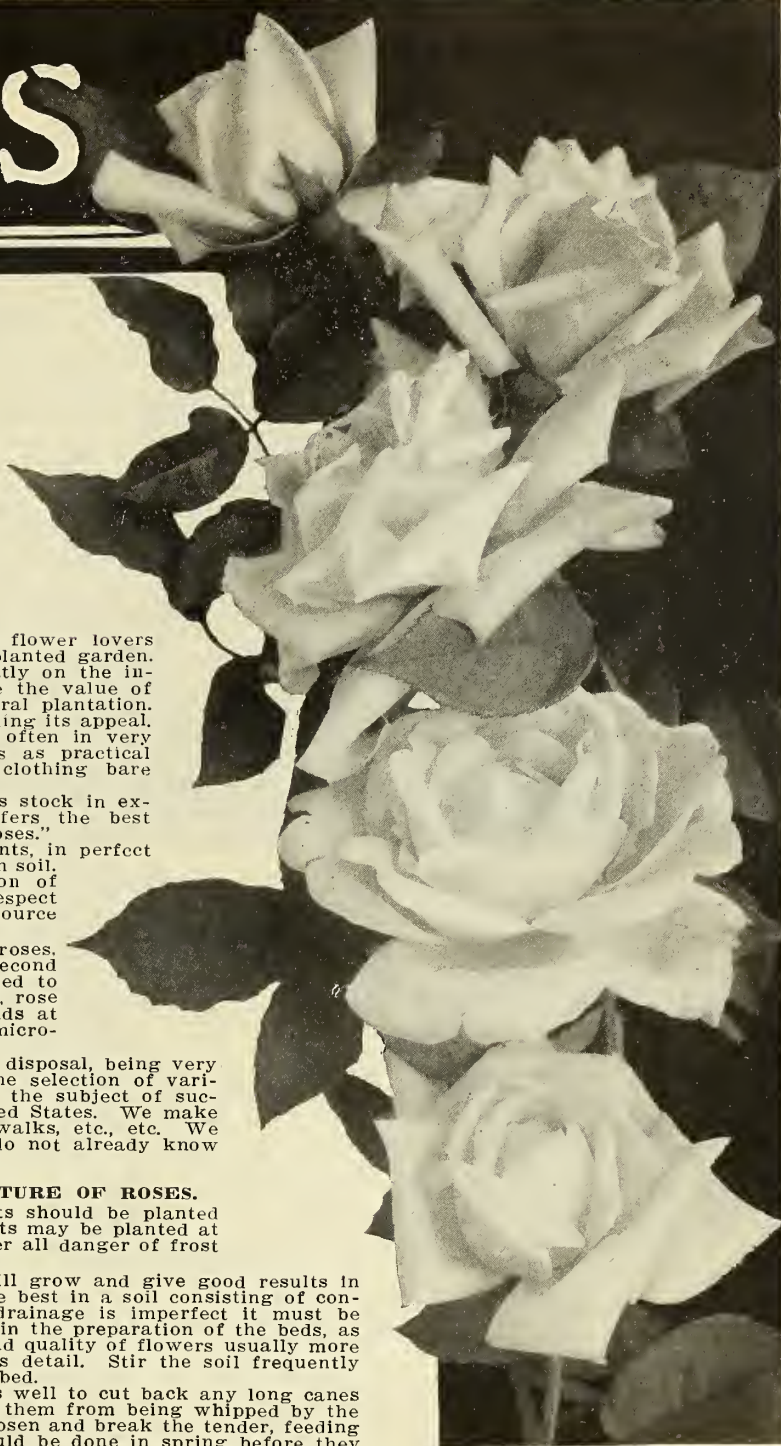
**INSECTS.** A few applications of a good insecticide will exterminate all insects at the outset, after which very little or no trouble will be experienced. The following preparations are good. Apply to the upper and under surface of the foliage by means of whisk broom or sprayer.

**SOAP SOLUTION.** Dissolve about one ounce of Ivory or other good soap in one pint of boiling water, adding one and one-half gallons of cold water.

**TOBACCO SOLUTION.** Made of boiling the leaves or stems of tobacco. The liquid should be made about the strength of weak tea.

**BORDEAUX ARSENATE OF LEAD MIXTURE.** At the rate of eight ounces to five gallons of water is an excellent solution.

**WINTER PROTECTION.** Do not cover your plants too soon; a nip of frost will not hurt them, but will help to ripen and mature them. Such materials as leaves, hay, straw, or cedar boughs, etc., will afford excellent protection. A few shovelfuls of earth will also be of great benefit. In the spring wait until the weather is settled before uncovering.

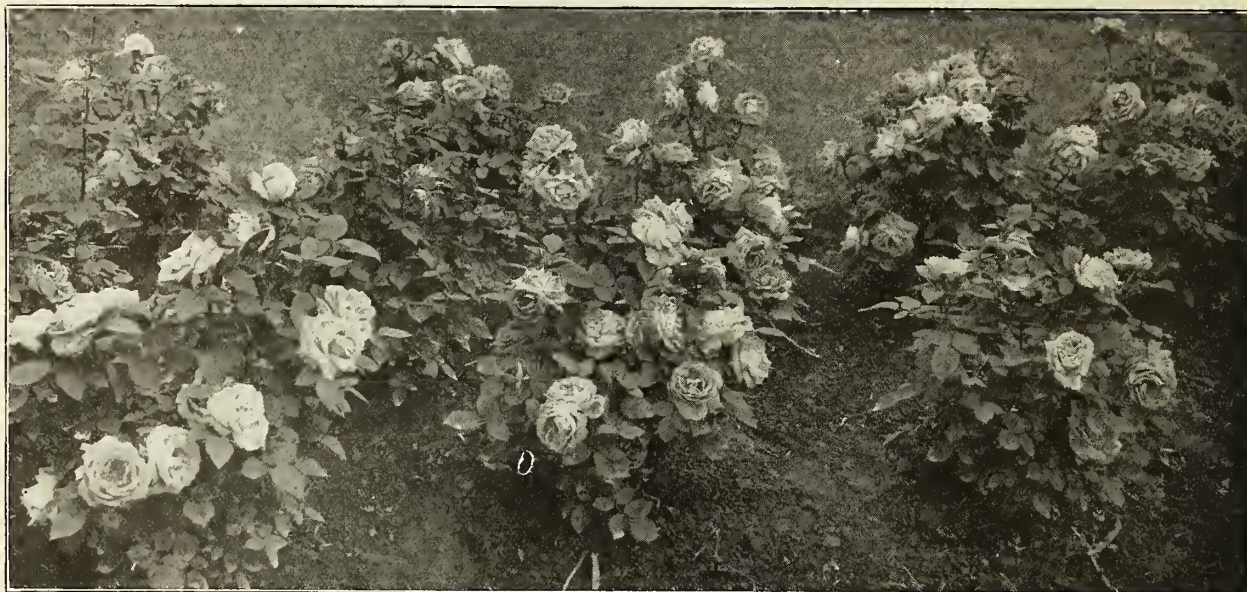




# Wagner Park Flowers

## X-tra Size Roses

Where you see the "X" you will find one of the choicest varieties and in extra large size plants. **WAGNER PARK ROSES** grow to perfection everywhere, but special attention is called to our Extra large size plants which are marked with an "X" preceding the name, indicating the quality of the largest size. These varieties have been given special attention, and we have obtained some very fine, heavy plants of them. The stock is first-class in every respect, and if you want immediate results, order our X-tra size roses and they will surely please you.



## WAGNER PARK FAMOUS COCHET ROSES

No Matter What Roses You Have, These Should be in Your Collection.

The real Rose-lover cannot afford to miss these particularly famous Cochet Roses. The three varieties we offer are not surpassed by any others in beauty of flowers and productiveness. They are constantly in bloom and are hardy in all localities except the extreme North, where protection and mulching is very beneficial.

### X MAMAN COCHET PINK.

A deliciously sweet-scented Rose and a most vigorous grower. The flowers are superb and we consider it one of the choicest and most beautiful roses grown. The buds are long and pointed and flowers are of enormous size, very full and double. The color is a rich pink, elegantly shaded with rose and crimson. An excellent bedding variety. Very free to bloom, even as a pot plant for the house. 1-yr. size, 15 cents; 2-yr. size, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50c.

### X MAMAN COCHET RED.

An exceedingly beautiful and splendid Rose for general planting. Very vigorous and healthy, throwing up strong shoots, and producing great masses of beautiful blossoms, and this is continuous throughout the entire season. Flowers are very large, fully double, and sweetly scented. Color a bright rose-red, elegantly shaded. A most valuable everblooming variety. 1-yr. size, 15 cents; 2-yr. size, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

### X MAMAN COCHET WHITE.

A remarkably free blooming variety equal to MAMAN COCHET in every particular. The blossoms are large, fully double, and a pure white in color, very fragrant, and should be included in every Rose collection. 1-year size, 15 cents; 2-year size, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

### Special offer, "A" Cochet Roses

1 Cochet Pink.	1 year, 40 cts., prepaid.
1 Cochet Red.	2 year, \$1.00, prepaid.
1 Cochet White.	One of each color. X-tra large, \$1.25, prepaid

## TWO RICHEST, REDDEST ROSES IN CULTIVATION

**Gruss an Teplitz and Richmond.** (See Colored Illustration on Rear Cover.)

These two varieties are magnificent in their splendid hardy growth and gorgeous color of their flowers. They possess the hardiness of the Perpetuals and with their constant blooming qualities and exquisite fragrance of their gorgeous flowers put them in a class by themselves. Nothing surpasses them for gorgeous color and constancy of bloom.

We offer the genuine own root stock, and if planted in good, ordinary soil, will grow and bloom to surprise you.

**X Gruss an Teplitz.** (Crimson Hermosa) (See colored illustration, Rear Cover) This grand Rose has proven one of the best and most valuable hardy crimson everblooming Roses for garden planting ever introduced. The color is dark rich crimson, passing to velvety, fiery red, the very brightest colored Rose we know. Flowers large, full, and sweet; blooms constantly, throwing up fresh buds and flowers the whole growing season. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Richmond.** (See colored illustration, Rear Cover) A remarkably strong grower and free bloomer, producing splendid buds and flowers on fine, long stems; bright, glowing scarlet crimson, exceedingly bright and beautiful; does not mildew or black-spot, and is undoubtedly one of the very best roses lately introduced. 1-year size, 20 cents; 2-year size, 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

### Special Offer "B" Richest Red Roses

1 Richmond.	1 year 30 cts., prepaid.
1 Gruss an Teplitz.	2 year 65 cts., prepaid.
	X-tra large, \$1.00, prepaid.

### Special Offer "C" Cochet and Red Roses

1 Richmond	1 year 50 cts., prepaid.
1 Gruss an Teplitz	2 year \$1.35, prepaid.
3 Maman Cochet (1 each color)	X-tra large, \$2.25 prepaid.





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Wagner Grown Roses For Southern and Pacific Coast States

### TEA OR EVERBLOOMING ROSES.

This class of Roses is celebrated the world over for their delicious fragrance and the exquisite forms and rich, charming tints of their beautiful flowers. They are without question the most profuse of all, being in flower throughout the entire growing season, especially grown for the Southern and Pacific Coast States, although they may be planted in the Northern States but must be protected over winter. Our list comprises only the best and choicest varieties.

- X Apricot.** (See cut) An old-time favorite, very vigorous grower and a most free bloomer, and quite fragrant. The flowers are of elegant fragrance and apricot color, very rare among roses. 1-year size, 10 cents; 2-year size, 25 cents; X-tra size, 35 cents.
- Bride.** Variable; white, tinged blush; a fine flower. 2-year size, 25c.
- X Clothilde Soupert.** This is the freest blooming of all Roses. The flowers of large size, are very double, pearly white; center pink. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 25 cents; X-tra size, 40 cents.
- X Duchess de Brabant.** One of the finest Roses we have for general planting, color is clear pink; makes splendid buds and large double flowers; exceedingly beautiful. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 35 cents.
- Francis E. Willard.** Gigantic flowers with enormous, magnolia-like petals. Color pure white; blooms are borne in great profusion on stiff stems with heavy foliage. 1-year size, 15 cents; 2-year size, 30 cents.
- Ivory.** Pure ivory-white flowers of large size. 1-year size, 15 cents; 2-year size, 35 cents.
- Marie Lambert.** (White Hermosa) Color, rich, creamy white, elegantly shaded with soft rosy blush. 25 cents.
- X Maman Cochet Pink.** See description and prices, page 4.
- X Maman Cochet White.** See description and prices, page 4.
- Perles Des Jardins.** Beautiful deep yellow, deliciously sweet. 1-year size, 20 cents; 2-year size, 40 cents.
- Souv. De Pierre Notting.** Color, rich orange yellow, dashed and bordered with soft carmine rose. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents.
- Safrano.** Saffron yellow flowers. 1-year size, 20 cents.



Apricot.

### Special Offer "D" Tea Roses

- |                       |                                |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 Apricot.            | The collection of 5 varieties, |
| 1 Clothilde Soupert.  | 1 year, 50 cts., Prepaid.      |
| 1 Duchess de Brabant. | 2 year, \$1.00, Prepaid.       |
| 1 Maman Cochet Pink.  | X-tra large, \$2.00.           |
| 1 Maman Cochet White. |                                |

## Three Glorious Ever-blooming Roses

### La France Pink, White, and Red.

The most deliciously fragrant, hardy, everblooming Roses. Makes no difference where you live, they are hardy; will grow and thrive vigorously. Blossoms are superb and produced on long, erect stems. Constantly in bloom and should be in every garden.

- X La France. (Pink)** This is probably the most popular Rose in cultivation. Both buds and flowers are of lovely form and grand size; color, fine peach blossom, elegantly clouded with rosy pink. 1-year size, 15 cents; 2-year size, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.
- X La France. (Red)** Color, lovely deep rose; a constant bloomer and recommended as one of the sweetest and best Roses for general planting. 1-year size, 15 cents; 2-year size, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.
- X La France. (White)** A seedling of pink La France and quite as beautiful; extra large, full, deep, pearly white flowers, delicately shaded with soft rose. 1-year size, 15 cents; 2-year size, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

### Special Offer "E" La France Roses

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|---------|-------------------------------|
| 1 Pink  | 1-year, 40 cts., prepaid.     |
| 1 Red   | 2-year \$1.00, prepaid.       |
| 1 White | X-tra large, \$1.40, prepaid. |

### Special Offer "F" 7 Choice Roses

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|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 Maman Cochet, White | 1 Clothilde Soupert        |
| 1 Maman Cochet, Pink  | 3 La France (1 each color) |
|                       | 1 Apricot                  |

Above varietles, 1-year size, 90c, prepaid; 2-year size, \$2.00 prepaid; X-tra large size, \$2.75, prepaid.



La France.





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Hardy Everblooming Roses--Hybrid Teas

The Roses For Planting Everywhere

This is a class of roses for general planting everywhere. The great advantage claimed for them is that they combine the hardiness of the Hybrid Perpetual with the constant blooming qualities and delicious fragrance of the Tea Roses. These varieties we list include only the choicest, and your surprise will come from the quantities of beautiful blossoms they produce; excellent for Southern and Pacific Coast gardens. Hardy in all localities and without protection, except in the Northern States, where a mulch and protection will be necessary.

**Anna Marie Souper.** Very large, full flower, on good, stiff stems, color, bright lake red; very fragrant. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents.

**X Burbank.** The color is described as cherry crimson—it is, in other words, the very deepest and brightest pink Rose in cultivation. It is adapted for both out-door planting or for blooming in pots. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**Bessie Brown.** Full, deep flowers; color pure white, clouded flesh pink. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents.

**X Champion of the World.** The name describes it, for of its color it is surely a champion. It flowers continuously the whole season through. Bears in greatest profusion flowers of fine size, full, deep, and double; color lovely clear, deep pink. If you want a sturdy, substantial, free-blooming Rose, plant a Champion of the World. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Gruss an Teplitz.** For description and prices, see page 4.

**X General MacArthur.** Dazzling crimson scarlet. One of the grandest red Roses ever offered. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Gladys Harkness.** A fine free-blooming Rose with flowers like a hybrid perpetual. Salmon pink. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Helen Gould.** This is probably the most beautiful and satisfactory Rose for general planting ever introduced in America. The color is a warm, rosy crimson. One of the very best Roses for winter blooming. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Hermosa.** Deep pink. An old-time favorite, and one of the showiest. A Rose that always gives unqualified satisfaction. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.



Hermosa.

**J. L. Mock.** Resembles somewhat Mad. Caroline Testout. The flowers are borne on strong, straight stems, and are very double. Color, light red, shaded pink. 1-year, 20 cents; 2-year, 40 cents.

**Killarney Brilliant.** A most beautiful, large brilliant pink. Very fragrant. 1-year, 25 cents; 2-year, 50c.

**Killarney, Double White.** An excellent Rose of good habit and growth. Waxy-white flowers on good stems. 1-year, 20 cents; 2-year, 35 cents.

**X Killarney Pink.** One of the most popular Roses, strong and robust in growth, and as free flowering as any Rose in existence. In color it is a sparkling, brilliant, imperial pink. The buds are long and pointed, petals very large and of great substance, and is just as handsome in the bud as in full-bloom flower. An exquisite variety even for out-door planting, but requires protection in the extreme Northern States. 1-year, 20 cents; 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

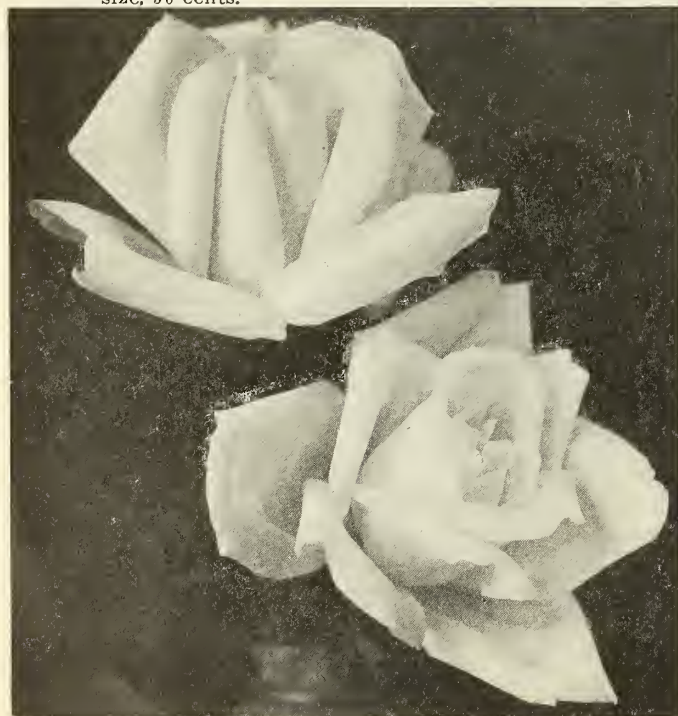
**X Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.** An unsurpassed Rose of great beauty. This exquisite variety still retains its place as the foremost and best white Rose for general planting. It is perfectly hardy in all localities and produces continuously throughout the season glorious, fully double flowers with a delicious, Magnolia-like fragrance. Color is a most delicate, creamy white. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

**X La France Pink, Red, and White,** description and prices, page 5.

**Malmalson.** Beautiful, rich, creamy flesh; distinctly and elegantly shaded, clear, peachy red, with a rose center. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents.

**X Mad. Abel Chatenay.** This is a wonderfully strong, healthy growing variety, with rich, bright foliage. A grand bedding rose, as it is a profuse and continuous bloomer, flowers of good size, very double, with slightly recurved petals; elegant buds, color, rosy carmine, shaded salmon. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 25 cents; X-tra size, 40 cents.

**Mad. Schwallier.** A remarkable Rose, having the strength and style of the Hybrid Perpetual and the free-flowering qualities of the Tea; color, deep rosy flesh, deepening on edge of petals. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents.



Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.

<b>Special Offer "G"</b>	
1-year size, 30 cents, prepaid.	
2-year size, 50 cents, prepaid.	
1 Kaiserin A. V.	X-tra large size, \$1.00, prepaid.
1 Killarney Pink	





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Hardy Everblooming Roses--Hybrid Teas

**X MRS. D'GRAW.** Bright coral pink; flowers are borne in clusters; very handsome, noted as a free and continuous bloomer; quite hardy, strongly resembles the Champion of the World. 1-year, 15 cents, 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**Madam Caroline Testout.** Color is brilliant, satiny rose, deepening in center to clear red. It is of excellent substance and keeps its color well. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents.

**Mrs. Aaron Ward.** A fine, strong grower and free of bloom. Buds are deeply cupped, the open flowers delightfully attractive. Color, deep golden orange, shading outward to creamy yellow. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents.

**X Mrs. B. R. Cant.** A healthy, vigorous grower, throwing up strong shoots and producing great masses of splendid roses the whole growing season. Flowers are extra large, perfectly double and deliciously sweet. Color, bright rose red, elegantly shaded and exceedingly beautiful. One of the best Everblooming bedding Roses grown. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X President Taft.** This is undoubtedly the finest bedding Rose yet introduced. The flowers are double, very sweet-scented, and are of deep pink color. They are very showy and valuable for cutting. The plants are free from disease, which is another point claimed in its favor. 1-yr., 20 cents; 2-yr., 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

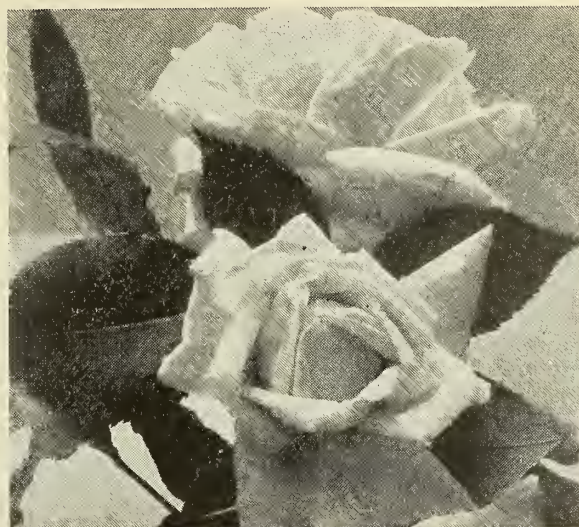
**President Carnot.** A lovely color; outer petals white, center delicate flesh pink. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents.

**X Richmond.** For description and prices, see page 4.

**Rhea Reid.** A free-flowering variety, with brilliant crimson-scarlet, full, double flowers of good form. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents.

**X Wellesley.** This splendid rose is a seedling from Liberty crossed with Bridesmaid; color, bright, clear rose pink, reverse of petals silver rose. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**Wm. R. Smith.** Softly curled, waxen finished petals, creamy white, flesh pink at tips and buff at base. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents.



Madam Schwallier.

### Special Offer "H"

**Hardy, Everblooming Roses. This collection will give satisfaction everywhere. A most desirable collection.**

1 Gruss an Teplitz 1 Mad. Schwallier 1 LaFrance White  
1 Kaiserin A. V. 1 Mad. C. Testout  
1 LaFrance Pink 1 Mrs. B. R. Cant 1 Mad. A. Chatenay  
**One of each variety, 1-yr. size, \$1.00 prepaid; 2-yr. size, \$2.50 prepaid; X-tra large size, \$3.50 prepaid.**

### Everblooming Dwarf Bedding Roses

#### (BABY RAMBLERS)

A type of rose which is becoming very popular and is used extensively for edging beds of other roses. They are compact, bushy and produce immense trusses of semi-double flowers from spring until frost.

**Annie Muller.** Called by some Pink Baby Rambler. Color bright pink. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents.

**Crimson Baby Rambler.** This variety has the same bright crimson color as the climbing form. Can also be grown in pots with good results. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 25 cents.

**X White Baby Rambler.** This is a true white Baby Rambler. Flowers borne in great clusters. 1 year, 15 cents; 2-year, 25 cents; X-tra size, 35 cents.

**X Jean D'Arc.** This novelty is a seedling of Mad. N. Levavasseur and flowers as freely as its parents. The leaves are small, dark green. Flower trusses very large and in color it is a pure milk white. 1 year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**Mrs. W. Outbush.** A new dwarf everblooming rose. Color light pink, yellowish center. 1-year, 20 cents; 2-year, 40 cents.

**Madam Taft.** Color dark red and blooms in large clusters. 1-year, 20 cents; 2-year, 40 cents.

**X The Orleans Rose.** A splendid rose for bedding. Flowers very large and are of a beautiful geranium red, shaded clear rose. 1-year, 20 cents; 2-year, 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

### Special Offer "I"

**Everblooming Bourbon Roses.**

1 Burbank 1 Hermosa  
1 Champion of the World 1 Mrs. De Graw

**The four varieties, 1-year size, 50c. prepaid; 2-year size, \$1.00, prepaid; X-tra large size, \$1.75. prepaid.**



Spray Blossoms—Jean D'Arc.



## Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses

**MOST VALUABLE CLASS BECAUSE OF THEIR LARGE, SWEET, BRILLIANT COLORED FLOWERS.**

The Hybrid Perpetual Roses are so vigorous and hardy, they may be planted in all localities and remain out over winter without any protection. The flowers of the Hybrid Perpetuals are large, handsome, and practically all shades of red, crimson, pink, and white. They are the best class to plant, especially in the Northern States, owing to their hardiness. While they particularly need no protection, a good mulch for winter after the wood is well ripened will be very beneficial. While they are called Perpetual, they are not constant bloomers, except those so noted, but they produce the finest and most exquisite flowers of all hardy Roses. We list only the choicest varieties and in large two-year-old plants and X-tra large sizes.

**X Chestnut Hybrid.** This rose is growing in favor as it becomes known. A most beautiful deep rose of red. Large 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Countess of Roseberry.** Fine carmine red, satiny pink in center. Immense flowers. Large 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

**X Dinsmore.** A continuous bloomer of dwarf, compact habit. Flowers are large and very double, of a beautiful deep crimson shade. Large 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Gen. Jacqueminot.** Too well known to require a lengthy description. It still holds first place among the dark red roses, and is one of the most satisfactory to grow. A rich, crimson scarlet. Large 2-year, 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

**X Frau Karl Drusehki.** The most sensational introduction to date. Flowers are large, with long, broad, shell-form petals. An ever-blooming variety. Color fine snow-white, free from any yellow or rose tints. The flowers are very fine for cutting purposes; the buds are very lasting. Vigorous grower and very hardy. Large 2-year, 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

**X Hugh Dickson.** Color brilliant crimson, shaded scarlet; good size and fine form; petals smooth, slightly cupped and reflexed; free flowering and vigorous in growth; very highly perfumed. Large 2-year, 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

**X Jules Margottin.** Bright carmine, cup-shaped flowers of fine form and long, erect stems. Large 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 40 cents.



**Chestnut Hybrid.**

**X Louis Van Houtte.** A rich crimson, heavily shaded with maroon and beautifully formed, double flowers. Large 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Magna Charta.** A general favorite, prized on account of its strong, upright growth and bright, healthy foliage, as well as for its magnificent bloom. The color is a beautiful, bright pink, suffused with carmine. Large, 2-year, 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

**X Madame Chas. Wood.** A true perpetual bloomer. Begins to bloom almost as soon as planted, and continues throughout the season. The flowers are extra large, very double, and full and quite fragrant. Color, a bright, fiery scarlet. Large, 2-year, 25 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Mrs. J. H. Laing.** A grand sort, with satiny flowers of soft, delicate pink. Large, 2-year, 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

**X Madame Masson.** An excellent Hybrid Perpetual, noted for its constant and profuse bloom. The flowers are large, color a clear, bright rose, highly perfumed. Large, 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Madame Pantier.** The iron clad white cemetery rose; bears hundreds of beautiful, snowy-white, fragrant blossoms. Large 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 40 cents.

**X Marshall P. Wilder.** Bright cherry-carmine, very fragrant; one of the freest bloomers. Large 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Paul Neyron.** One of the finest hardy roses ever grown. It blooms unceasingly from June to November, on uniformly long, stiff, thornless stems, with immense cup-shaped flowers. Color, a bright rose pink. Large 2-year, 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

**X Prince Camille de Rohan.** One of the darkest colored Roses; very dark velvety crimson, changing to intense maroon. A very prolific bloomer, and flowers are of excellent form and size. Large 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Ulrich Brunner.** Flowers good size and fine form, with shell-shaped petals. One of the most abundant bloomers; color, cherry red. Large 2-year, 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.



**Magna Charta.**

### Special Offer—"J" Hybrid Perpetual Roses

Owing to the low price of this collection, the selection of varieties must be left to us. All labeled true to name. 4 Choice Rose Plants, large 2-year size, \$1.00; in X-tra size, \$1.75. 9 Choice Rose Plants, large 2-year size, \$2.00; in X-tra size, \$3.50.





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Best Climbing Roses For General Planting

Need no Protection even in the coldest climate

## Hardy Climbing Roses

Very few vines give such an abundance of blossoms as the Climbing Roses. Again there is nothing in cultivation more beautiful and attractive. Surround your house and veranda, cover your pergola, screens, and fences with these famous Climbing Roses. The stock we offer is choice and will give entire satisfaction.

**X American Pillar.** Brilliant carmine rose, with a slight cream variegation and yellow stamens at center. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cts.

**Climbing American Beauty.** This new climbing form of the famous Rose so long the American favorite, is as lovely and fragrant as the bush form. The hardy climber blood with which it is crossed, gives healthy perfect foliage and a strong climbing habit of growth; the abundant bloom being in prime before the June show of the bush type. 1-year, 20 cents; 2-year, 50 cents.

**X Baltimore Belle.** Pale blush, variegated carmine-rose and white; very double; flowers in beautiful clusters, the whole plant appearing a perfect mass of bloom; one of the best Climbing Roses. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 25 cents; X-tra size, 35 cents.

**X Crimson Rambler.** The most popular Climbing Rose; clusters of the brightest crimson, semi-double flowers. Large 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Dorothy Perkins.** A Climbing Rose, which in strong, vigorous growth and general habit very closely approaches the popular Crimson Rambler; its flowers, which, are borne in clusters, are of a beautiful shell pink, full, double, and of large size for a Cluster Rose, and deliciously scented. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**Empress of China.** Soft dark red, changing to light pink, like an apple blossom. Splendid hardy Climbing Rose. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents.

**X Lily Ito.** A dainty foliaged climber. Flowers pale blush color. One of the very best and beautiful when in full bloom. 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 40c.

**Flower of Fairfield.** The Everblooming Crimson Rambler; brilliant, crimson clusters of flowers. 1-year, 20 cents; 2-year, 40 cents.

**X Lady Gay.** A seedling of the popular Crimson Rambler, which it closely resembles in habit and vigor of growth, but with flowers of a delicate cherry-pink, fading to a soft-tinted white. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**Miss G. Mesman (Climbing Baby Rambler)** A grand acquisition to the list of Climbers. A strong grower and produces large, compact clusters of bright carmine flowers continuously from June until frost. An easy grower and very valuable for porches, arches, etc. Large 2-year old plants, 50 cents.

**Philadelphia Rambler.** Flowers produced in grand clusters; pure deep crimson; brighter than any of this class, and holds color to the last; handsome foliage; blooms early and bountifully. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 35 cents.

**X Pink Rambler.** This Rose is as charming as any of its rivals, embracing all their good qualities of hardiness, vigorous growth, profuse blooming and delightful fragrance. 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 40 cents.

**X Prairie Queen.** An old standard variety, and one that will always be popular. No collection of hardy Climbing Roses is complete without it. Bright, rosy red, large, compact, and globular flower. 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Queen Alexandria.** Magnificent semi-double red flowers, similar to Crimson Rambler. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

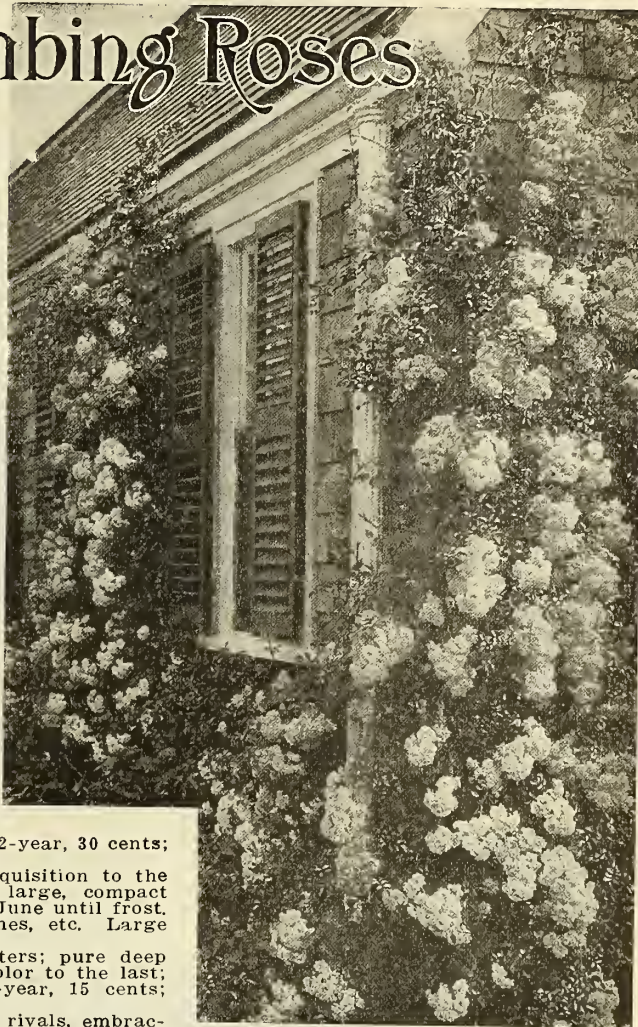
**X New Rose Veilchenblau.** (Blue Climbing Rose) It has always been the florist's ideal to cultivate a blue rose, and we are now in a position to offer such a variety. It has glossy green foliage, a strong grower and producing steel blue flowers. 1-year, 20 cents; 2-year, 40 cents; X-tra size, 60 cents.

**X Russell's Cottage.** Dark velvety crimson; very double and full; profuse bloomer. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**William C. Egan.** Splendid pink flowers. A much-sought-for Rose; used for pillars and wherever an extremely hardy Rose is wanted. Fine for hedges. 1-year, 20 cents; 2-year, 40 cents.

**X White Rambler.** Clusters of white flowers. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Yellow Rambler.** Fine yellow; as the flowers age they turn white. A good double rose, and blooms in clusters. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 40 cents.



### SPECIAL OFFER—"K" Climbing Roses that are Hardy Everywhere

1 Lily Ito  
1 Baltimore Belle

1 Russell's Cottage  
1 Prairie Queen  
1 Yellow Rambler

1 White Rambler  
1 Veilchenblau

This good old reliable collection

Delivered to Your Door

2-year size, \$1.75.  
X-tra large size, \$2.75.





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Everblooming Climbing Roses For Southern and Pacific Coast States

This is a most desirable class to plant for they produce such an abundance of the most beautiful blossoms, many of which have flowers as large and handsome as the bedding or bush roses. They are rapid growers and bloom as freely as the Tea Rose, and when once established, require practically no care. If planted in the Northern States, protection must be given them.

**X Climbing Cecile Brunner** is a rampant climber, but otherwise an exact counterpart of the popular Cecile Brunner; color, rich rosy pink on a creamy white ground. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 25 cents; X-tra size, 40 cents.

**X Climbing Clothilde Soupert.** One of the very finest varieties, unequalled for quick and abundant bloom and healthy, vigorous growth. Flowers perfectly double; rich creamy white, sometimes tinted with blush. Not subject to insects or disease. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 40 cents.

**X Climbing Kaiserin.** This is, without doubt, the grandest of all white climbing Roses. Small plants bloom continuously the first season, just as the parent, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria does. 1-yr., 15c; 2-yr., 35c; X-tra size, 50c.

**Climbing Malmaison.** Flowers lovely creamy with bright rose center, elegantly shaded. 1-yr., 15c; 2-yr., 30c.

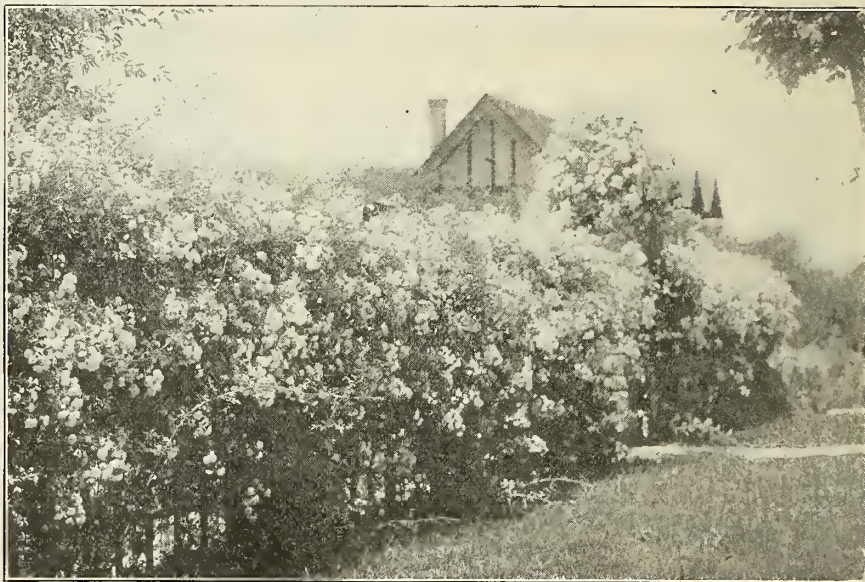
**X Golden Chain.** (Climbing Safrano.) Deep orange-yellow. An elegant variety. 1-yr., 20c; 2-yr., 30c; X-tra size, 40c.

**Mary Washington.** A pure white, constant blooming Rose; blooms in clusters. 1-year, 20 cents.

**Marechal Neil.** The finest, bright golden yellow. 1-year, 25 cents.

**Rene Marie Henriette.** A rampant climber; color, bright red. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents.

**X LaMarque.** Large buds, beautiful and sweet scented, pale canary yellow, almost white. One of the best climbing Tea Roses. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 30 cents; X-tra size, 40 cents.



Climbing Kaiserin will produce such effects.



Rosa Multiflora, Described on Page 11, Will Produce Such Effects as Shown Around Sun Dial.—  
A Climbing Rose Covers the Arch.

### SPECIAL OFFER "L"

Everblooming Climbing Roses for South and Pacific Coast States.

1 Climbing C. Brunner.

1 Climbing Kaiserin.

1 Climbing Soupert.

1 Climbing Golden Chain.

1 Climbing LaMarque.

Entire collection, five varieties.

1-year size, 50 cents, Prepaid.

2-year size, \$1.25, Prepaid.

X-tra large, \$1.75, Prepaid.

### WICHURIANA, or Evergreen Rose. X Manda's Tri- umph.

This grand Rose is of free growth, luxuriant foliage, and produces large clusters of double, pure white flowers, two inches in diameter and sweetly scented. The most suitable and satisfactory Roses one can get for covering rough ground, rocks, or stumps. They will climb if trained, or if left alone they creep along the ground as closely as an ivy and make a dense mat of shining dark green foliage. 1-yr., 15c; 2-yr., 30c; X-tra size, 50c.

**All Above Roses Sent Prepaid Anywhere in the U. S.**





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Rugosa Roses

Special Attention is Called to Our Rugosa Rubra

### SEE COLORED ILLUSTRATION, REAR COVER.

The Rugosa Roses are especially suited for our Northern climate, owing to their extreme hardiness and sturdy growths. The foliage of these Roses is most beautiful, being a shining, rich, dark green and oddly wrinkled. The blossoms are usually single, but very large and showy, and followed in autumn with a profusion of beautiful orange-red or crimson fruits. The plants do well for seashore planting, mountains, or most anywhere. Excellent for hedges or for planting among shrubbery or hardy borders.

**Conrad Meyer.** Its handsome flowers are of a clear, silvery pink color and are deliciously fragrant. Flowers are produced freely and continuously from early summer till fall. 2-yr., 35c; X-tra size, 50c.

**X Mad. Georges Bruant.** Semi-double, pure white, in showy clusters. Needs slight protection against zero weather. 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X New Century.** A magnificent rose, flowers large and perfectly double. Color, flesh pink with bright red center, petals bordered creamy white. 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Rugosa Alba.** Single pure white flowers, highly scented, followed by pretty berries. 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Rugosa Rubra.** Foliage shiny bright green, flowers deep rose, produced in fine, large clusters. Beautiful bright red berries in autumn. Excellent for planting on the lawn with shrubbery or in groups, or used for hedges. Large 2-year, 30 cents; \$3.00 per dozen. 3-year 40 cents; \$4.00 per dozen. X-tra size, 60 cents; \$6.00 per dozen.

**X Sir Thomas Lipton.** We consider it, without exception, the best double white rose in its class; beautiful in foliage; early and constant in bloom. 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

### MISCELLANEOUS ROSES.

**X Rosa Multiflora.** One of the handsomest and hardiest of all. Produces countless numbers of single, creamy white, fragrant flowers. The flowers are borne for a period of about six weeks and are succeeded by brilliant red berries. As a decorative winter plant it is as good and hardy as Berberis Thunbergi. Excellent for planting among shrubbery, for hedges, etc. 2-year, 25 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Rosa Setigera.** The Prairie Rose. It is of rapid growth, with large, clean foliage. The single flowers of deep rose are produced in masses throughout late June and July. 1-year, 15 cents; 2-year, 25 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

### MOSS ROSES.

Our Moss Roses are among the hardiest of all Roses grown. They are very vigorous in growth and much admired on account of their bright, healthy foliage.

The buds have a moss-like covering, but open into most beautiful, full double flowers. Do not fail to include them in your rose order.

**X Blanche Moreau.** Pure white. Field grown only. Large 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

**X Henri Martin.** Rich, glossy pink tinged with crimson. Very fine and choice variety. 1-year, 15 cents; large 2-year, 35 cents; X-tra size, 50 cents.

## Four Choice Tree Roses

Roses in tree form are very showy and as they occupy but very little ground space, may be planted among other bush varieties or used along walks, etc., when they produce a very fine effect. We offer only the best and most tried varieties.

**Frau Karl Druschki.** This is an ideal variety, blossoms pure white and is constantly in bloom; 75 cents each; extra select trees, \$1.00 each.

**Crimson Baby Rambler.** The continuous bloom and perfect hardiness has made it very popular. Price, 75 cents each; extra select trees, \$1.00 each.

Standard or Tree Rose.

**Gruss an Teplitz.** One of the reddest of roses, fragrant and free blooming, very fine. Price, 75 cents each; extra select trees, \$1.00 each.

**Magna Charta.** A great favorite among roses. Color, a beautiful bright pink, suffused with carmine. Price, 75 cents each; extra select trees, \$1.00 each.

### Special Offer "M" Tree Roses

One each of the four varieties, \$2.50.  
One each of the four select trees, \$3.50.





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Wagner Park Hardy Flowers

Herbaceous—Perennials—General List



**The Garden of Hardy Flowers** is of gorgeous bloom from earliest spring until frost, glorified by its appropriate flowers from month to month, with new things each day to delight you. Year after year this goes on and the garden increases in beauty and loveliness, practically without any expense other than the first cost. Hardy flowers require less care and attention, are more free from insects and disease, yet producing abundance of beautiful blossoms. Among the Hardy Flowers are found all the old-time favorites and some of the noblest plants that have been dear to our Grandmother's garden, famous in song and story—a fragrant memory of gay sweetness. Hardy Flowers even defy the "melancholy days," for the autumn perennials—the cheerful asters, the dainty Michelmas Daisies, the many new varieties of Phlox of myriad pastel tints—are not less lovely than their brilliant predecessors. Even after frost there are the gay little hardy chrysanthemums, the "pompon" of Grandmother's day. And when winter's winds have whipped the last blossoms from the stalks, the souvenir of the brilliant procession of lavish bloom lingers to set agog anticipation of "next year." For "next year" the Wagner Hardy Flowers will "come back," richer, more interesting than ever, like charming friends. And that's the beauty of it! A Wagner Hardy Border or group of Wagner's Perennials is a permanent affair. Once properly planted they require little care for years. If the most effective and most lovable flowers were not found among the perennials, their splendid faculty for taking care of themselves would give them a place in every good garden, in every "yard."

Wagner Perennials are strong, splendid plants and include practically everything worth growing in the temperate zone. The vigor, the robust roots of Wagner-grown plants have advertised the merits of Wagner Nurseries in every part of the country.

**VARIETIES SUITABLE FOR SHADY PLACES.** Achillea, Ægopodium, Anemones, Aquilegias, Acorus, Asters, Bocconia, Baptisa, Coreopsis, Chrysanthemums, Shasta Daisies, Delphinium, Digitalis, Funkias, Hemerocallis, Hibiscus, Iris all varieties, Lily of the Valley (Convallaria), Lychnis, Monarda, Rudbeckias, Papaver (Poppies), Physostegia, Sedum, Violets. All the above varieties will also thrive in sunny open situations except Anemones, Digitalis, Lily of the Valley, and Violets.

**VARIETIES SUITABLE FOR HOT AND DRY PLACES.** Asters, Anthemis, Boltonia, Coreopsis, Shasta Daisies, Gaillardia, Eulalias (Hardy Grasses), Hibiscus, Hollyhocks, Helianthus, Hardy Pinks, Liatris, Monarda, Phlox, Pyrethrum, Rudbeckias, Sedum, Tritomas, and Yuccas. The above varieties will also thrive in partial shade.

Other varieties not classified above may be used in general plantings.

### Cultural Instructions

In reference to the cultivation of hardy plants, take care to start right. Remember that the plants are to stand undisturbed for some time, and that they may flourish, spade the ground deep and dig in a liberal supply of well rotted manure. Do not plant too near or under trees, except in the case of certain varieties, which enjoy partial shade, and then be careful not to let the tree's roots impoverish the soil.

Plants, like mankind, cannot endure too much hardship. When they die there is certainly something that has caused it. A great many valuable plants that are sent out perish because of careless planting. No matter how careful we may be in lifting and packing the plants, some of them may be lost through neglect after being planted.

The secret of success is to have the soil well prepared so that when the plants are received they can be planted without delay. After the planting is done, careful attention should be given to watering, especially if the weather is warm and dry. All hardy plants should have a heavy mulching during the first winter, which is a great protection and assists the plants to become well established.

### The Above Instructions Apply Also To Shrubs, Trees, Etc.

(D) Indicates height 6 to 15 inches; plant from 6 to 15 inches apart. (M) Indicates height 15 to 36 inches; plant from 12 to 30 inches apart. (T) Indicates height 36 to 60 inches; plant from 30 to 48 inches apart.

We have growing on our grounds specimens of many varieties of Hardy Plants, ranging in price from 75 cents to \$5.00 each. Make out and send us your order now and get the best. Your order to Wagner Park Nurseries is carefully executed, whether it be for one peony or a thousand perennials.

**Read Carefully the Information on Pages 1 and 2**





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Achillea Boule de Neige (Ball of Snow.) (D)

Hardy herbaceous plant of easy culture. They are of dwarf growth and excellent for edging to other tall growing perennials. The flowers of this variety are perfectly double and pure white. \$1.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100, **prepaid**; large plants, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen; \$12.50 per 100; extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Roseum.** (D) June and July. Red flowers produced in profusion for a long season.

**The Pearl.** (See cut.) (M) June to October. This is one of the most beautiful and useful perennials we grow. It is of a low spreading character with pure white flowers, perfectly double, and produced in large sprays. Fine for cutting.

**ACONITUM Napellus.** (M) June, July. Dark blue. Large plants, 25 cents; extra heavy, 50 cents.

**Napellus Albus.** (M) June, July. White flowers. Large plants, 25 cents; extra heavy, 50 cents.

## Aegopodium (Goutweed) Variegata. (D)

A rapid growing plant, with neat variegated foliage, thriving in any soil; makes a fine border for a bed of shrubs or for covering waste or barren spots. \$1.00 per dozen; \$5.00 per 100, **prepaid**; extra heavy clumps, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**ALYSSUM Hardy Argenteum.** (D) May, June. Greyish foliage, yellow flowers.

**ANCHUSA Italica.** Spikes of beautiful blue flowers the entire season.

## Anemones (See cut.) (Japanese Wind Flower.)

These beautiful plants are one of the most desirable of all hardy plants on account of their continuation of bloom from early August until cut down by hard frost. All are excellent for cutting, lasting in good condition for many days. They can be used in solid beds or clumps in the hardy border. We offer the three varieties.

**ANEMONES Japonica Alba.** Large white, very fine.

**Queen Charlotte.** Fine semi-double flowers. Color, La France pink, a color that is rare among hardy plants.

**Whirlwind.** Semi-double pure white, very fine. Prices, all varieties, nice plants, \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per 100, **prepaid**; large, heavy field plants, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen; extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**ANTHEMIS Tinctoria. (Golden Marguerite.)** (M) June to September. Golden yellow, one to two inches; sun or shade. Border planting and cutting.

**AQUILEGIAS.** Aquilegias or Columbines are extremely beautiful and a collection of them should be a feature in every garden.

**Canadensis** (American Columbine). The native bright red and yellow variety, and one of the brightest.

**Chrysantha.** (M) May to July. The beautiful golden-spurred "Columbine." Flowers golden yellow.

**Nivea grandiflora.** A fine pure white sort.

**ARALIA Cordata.** (M) Strikingly handsome foliage. Large plants, 35 cents; extra large, 50 cents.

**Edulus.** (M) A splendid plant for foliage effect. Large size, 35 cents; extra large, 50 cents.



Anemones.



Achillea, "The Pearl."

**ARABIS Alpina.** (D) Edging and rock gardens; white flowers.

**ARUNDO Donax.** See Hardy Grasses.

**ASCLEPIA Tuberosa.** (M) July to September. Orange colored flowers.

## Aster Tartarica (See cut.)

We consider this an exceptionally fine Aster for the hardy border, owing to its lateness to bloom. It has beautiful green foliage all summer, and in fall the plants are a mass of bright purple flowers, which are produced on long stems, and are fine for cutting. \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, **prepaid**; large clumps, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen; extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Glorie de Nancy.** (M) September, October. A very fine, large, pure white; excellent for cutting.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen, sent **PREPAID**.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents, \$2.50 per dozen, \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps 50 cents, \$5.00 per dozen, \$35.00 per 100.



Aster Tartarica.



# Wagner Park Flowers

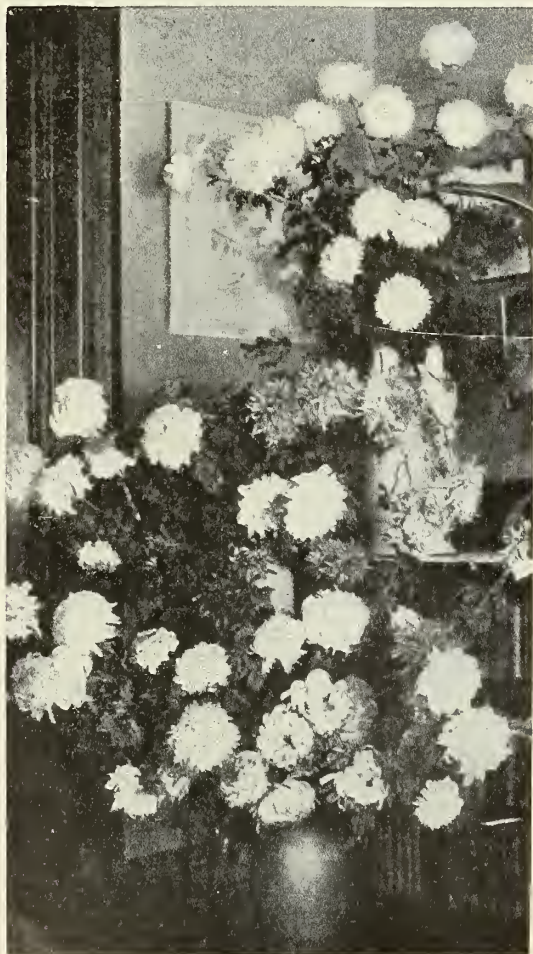
**Baptisia Australis** These plants have handsome, dark green, fern-like foliage; perfectly hardy, excellent for the hardy border or wild garden. The flowers are pea-shaped, and bright blue. The Baptisia withstands droughts exceedingly well. Large plants, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen; extra heavy clumps, 50 cents, \$5.00 per dozen.

**Boltonia Nana Latisquama** These are among the showiest of hardy plants, with their many single, aster-like flowers, which are of pink color, slightly tinged with lavender. The plants are in bloom from July to October, and produce a fine effect. \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, **prepaid**. Large plants, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen; \$12.00 per 100; extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Asteroides.** (T) September, October. Pure white; very effective; five to seven feet.

**Latisquama.** (T) September, October. Pink, slightly tinged with lavender; four to six feet.

**BOCCONIA. Cordata.** (T) A noble, hardy perennial, beautiful in foliage and flower, and admirably adapted for planting in the shrubbery borders, center of beds, and in bold groups in almost any position. Flowers in terminal panicles of a creamy-white color.



Chrysanthemum.

**Chrysanthemums** (Hardy) (M) Many are the lovely flowers that give a succession of beauty throughout the summer days, but when fall comes we have still the best in reserve, notably old-fashioned and really hardy Chrysanthemums. The flowers of these, which are in the greatest profusion, will endure the early frost and early snow storms, and delight us with a show of blooms on such sunshiny days as we may be favored with in late fall. They occupied a place of honor in many an old-fashioned garden where the perennial border was the garden's crowning glory. We now have many new and improved varieties which will make a grand show either planted in clumps in the hardy flower bed or in groups among shrubbery. They are of the easiest culture and will grow in almost any soil. An occasional watering with liquid manure will be beneficial, giving more and better bloom. The hardy Chrysanthemum is especially recommended to inexperienced cultivators, for no class of flowers is easier to manage. Their blooming period is from September to November. Height 18 to 36 inches.

**Globe d'Or.** Golden yellow, a large, handsome, full flower.

**Eagle De Or.** Medium size, yellow flower, fully double and of fine form.

**Rhoda.** White, shaded pink; fine, large, fully-double flower.

**Nelly Bly.** Light lilac pink, very fine; large, semi-double flower.

**Goldfinch.** Heavy clusters of bloom, color gold and bronze.

**Orange Beauty.** Semi-double, orange-yellow center of petals shading to a deep orange; medium size flower.

**Climax.** Large flower, light pink shaded to rose; very early and free flowering.

## Grandmother's Hardy Garden Mums

These are the old fashioned and reliable Chrysanthemums that were so highly prized in the garden corners and alongside the house of "grandmother's home."

We offer the **White, Pink, Red, and Yellow** separate colors. 15 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; extra heavy, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

## 7 Beautiful, Hardy Chrysanthemums One Each of the Seven Varieties \$1.00 Prepaid

These seven varieties are novelties and are distinct, no two colors alike, each a decided gem and will give perfect satisfaction. They are all beautiful and an excellent addition to the list of Hardy Chrysanthemums.

**President.** Rich, reddish violet. Medium size flower, but very free to bloom. 15 cents. Large plants, 35 cents, **prepaid**.

**Model of Perfection.** Fine, pure white, of large size, free bloomer, 15 cents. Large plants, 35 cents, **prepaid**.

**Peachblow.** Semi-double, yellow center, petals shaded from almost white to deep pink. 20 cents. Large plants, 40 cents, **prepaid**.

**Little Beauty.** Dwarf grower and usually comes into flower in August and continues until late fall; color white, suffused with rose pink; should be in every collection. 20 cents. Large plants, 50 cents, **prepaid**.

**Hiawatha.** Clusters of small but very beautiful bronzy-red flowers; very free blooming. 15 cents. Large plants, 35 cents, **prepaid**.

**Matchless.** Yellow striped with pink, large semi-double flowers, medium size flower but free bloomer. 20 cents. Large plants, 40 cents, **prepaid**.

**Superba.** Large double full flower; color, deep rose pink, a beautiful variety and very free flowering. 20 cents. Large plants, 40 cents, **prepaid**.

**PRICE of Extra Heavy Clumps of the seven above varieties, 60 cents each; \$6.00 per dozen.**

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, sent **PREPAID**.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents, \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.





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**DIANTHUS. Barbatus.** (Sweet William) (D) This fine old plant produces its flowers in great masses and are very lasting; also fine for cutting purposes. We offer them in the finest of mixed colors.

**Latifolius Atrococcineus Fl. Pl.** (Everblooming Sweet William). A beautiful summer bedding variety, producing masses of brilliant fiery crimson flowers throughout the entire season.

**DICTAMNUS. Fraxinella.** (M) June, July. Curious red flowers.

**CAMPANULA.** (Bluebells) A most elegant and useful species.

**Carpatica.** (D) June. This forms neat, compact tufts, covered with large, erect, blue flowers; useful as an edging, bedding, or border plant.

**Carpatica Alba.** (D) June. Similar to above, but with pure white flowers.

**Cordifolia.** (M) June, July. Fine spikes of white flowers.

**Periselfolia.** (M) June, July. Blue, salver-shaped flowers, on stems 1½ to 2 feet high.

**Pyramidalis.** (T) August, September. The most conspicuous of all Campanulas and an attractive plant for the herbaceous border. Salver-like blue flowers.



**Coreopsis.**

**CASSIA Marilandica.** (American Senna) (M) July to August. Blooms in large panicles of bright yellow.

**CENTAUREA.** (D) July, August. Large blue and white flowers.

**Coreopsis** (See cut) **Lanceolata Grandiflora.** (D) June, July. One of the most popular hardy plants. The flowers are a rich golden-yellow, and invaluable for cutting; the main crop comes during the latter part of June, but it continues in bloom the entire summer and autumn.

**Wagner's Shasta Daisies** (See cut) These are universally popular for outdoor planting, and considering their many good qualities there is no cause for surprise to see them planted so extensively. The flowers are of the purest, glistening white, of enormous size, and produced on long, stiff, wiry stems, which make them excellent for cutting purposes. \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100, **prepaid**; large plants, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100; extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Digitalis** (Foxglove) These are among the most satisfactory of the early summer-flowering, hardy perennials, succeeding under almost all conditions, and with but trifling attention, will give a wealth of flowers; used extensively and with very good effect for naturalizing in shrubberies and other semi-shady situations.

**Gloxiniaciflora.** (M) July and August. This strain embraces a wide range of color, from pure white to deep pink.

**Ambigua, or Grandiflora.** Showy flowers of pale yellow, veined brown.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, sent **PREPAID**.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.



**Shasta Daisies.**

**Read Carefully the Information on Pages 1 and 2**





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**DELPHINIUMS.** (Perennial Larkspurs) As permanent subjects in the hardy flower garden, we have few plants more worthy of special attention than the Delphinium (Larkspurs). For producing a striking display over a long season, they are probably unique. For general effect in groups or beds they are extremely valuable as a whole, but one is easily carried away on closer inspection by the exquisite beauty of their flowers. Indeed they have many points of excellence, any one of which alone should entitle them to popularity. But to appreciate their beauty one should see them growing, for it is almost impossible to convey anything like an adequate idea of their worth by mere description. The Delphinium of to-day is one of the most beautiful of all flowers. Blue flowers are too often absent from the hardy herbaceous borders and this is the time to rectify this state of things.

**English.** (See cut) This collection includes practically all shades of blue. We offer mixed colors, \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.00 per 100, **prepaid**. Large plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Belladonna.** (M) The freest and most continuous blooming of all, never being out of flower from the end of June until cut down by hard frost. The clear turquoise-blue of its flowers is not equalled for delicacy and beauty by any other flower.

**Formosum.** (M) June to August. The flowers are intense, deep blue, perhaps the most brilliant blue to be found in flowers freely produced on long spikes, and if the plants are cut back after flowering, they will bloom the second time in the fall.

**ERYNGIUM Planum.** (M) July, September. Light steel blue flowers.

**EULALIA.** See Hardy Ornamental Grasses.

**FUNKIA. Plantain Lily.** (D) The Plantain Lilies are among the easiest plants to manage. Their broad, massive foliage makes them attractive subjects for the border even when not in flower, and they deserve extensive cultivation.



**Delphiniums.**



**FUNKIAS**  
make fine  
edging  
plants

**Gaillardias.**

**Coerulea** grow. Their broad, massive foliage makes them attractive subjects for the hardy border, even when not in flower, and they deserve extensive cultivation. Very desirable for shady locations. \$1.00 per dozen, sent **prepaid**. Large plants, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**FUNKIA Cordata.** Waxy white flowers. 25 cents; clumps, 50 cents.

**Ovata.** Blue flowers. 25 cents; clumps, 50 cents.

**Ovata Marginata.** Light blue flowers. 25 cents.

**Undulata Media Variegata.** Striped foliage, purple flowers. 25 cents; clumps 50 cents.

**GAILLARDIA. Grandiflora.** (See cut) (D) June to October. One of the showiest and most effective hardy plants. They will thrive in almost any soil or position, but respond freely to liberal feeding. The flowers are of gorgeous coloring and very large, from 2 to 3 inches in diameter, and are produced on long stems. The center is a dark red-brown, while the petals are variously marked with rings of brilliant scarlet crimson, orange, and vermillion, and often a combination of all these colors in one flower. It is excellent for cutting.

**Compacta.** (D) June to October. Compact growing variety, making a very suitable edging plant.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, sent **PREPAID**.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.



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## Wagner Park Mallows

SEE COLORED ILLUSTRATION FRONT COVER.)



Mallows—A Planting of Mixed Colors.

Every plant will give satisfaction. 15 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100, **prepaid**. Large size plants, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Helianthus** These are among the most effective hardy plants for planting in the background of large borders or for planting among shrubbery, or as clumps on the lawn. They are remarkably free flowering and will succeed in any soil, and are invaluable for decorative purposes or as cut flowers during the summer.

**HELIANTHUS. Bouquet de Or.** (T) July, August. One of the most useful perennial plants in cultivation; large, double, Dahlia-like, golden yellow flowers in great profusion.

**Mollis.** (T) August, September. Single lemon-yellow flowers.

**Maximilliana.** (T) September to November. A most graceful single flowered variety; the flowers are produced in long, graceful sprays, which make it invaluable for cutting purposes. The foliage is beautiful, and remains green until heavy frosts. \$1.00 per dozen; \$5.00 per 100, **prepaid**. Extra heavy clumps, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**HELIOPSIS. Pitcherianus.** (M) June to October. A desirable variety. The flowers are of a beautiful, deep golden-yellow color, about two inches in diameter.

**Helenium Hoopesii** A fine, hardy perennial coming into flower early in June and continues throughout July. Flowers are pure orange-yellow, very large and fine. \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**HEUCHERA Sanginea.** (D) July, August. Flowers bright crimson.

### "HOLLYHOCK PATH" Garden Lover? Have you ever tried them?

Nothing to do with the "primrose path," but incidentally almost the prettiest sight in gardening.

Yes, of course, Hollyhocks in colonies or in a formal line anywhere are always pretty. But a "Hollyhock Path" is beautiful, and if you have a chance to make one, don't miss it.

The stately line of rose and scarlet and faintly flushed salmon sentinels, brilliant and warm in the center and paling to tender tones of nothing-at-all at the ends—well, even your blase "garden expert" gets out his enthusiasm for the Hollyhock Path.

### Wagner's Double Pink Beauty

This variety is indeed a beauty and distinct from all other Hollyhocks. The flowers are borne on tall, upright stalks and are of a most pleasing shade of pink, and perfectly double.

**New Mammoth Allegheny.** The colors are shell pink, rose, and ruby red, a shade or two deeper at the center and exquisitely tinted towards the edge. Single flowers. **Single.** These handsome and showy plants are great favorites. Their unique growth gives them a welcome everywhere.

**Double.** Their flowers are large, fully double, handsome in form, and lively shades of color. Double white, pink, crimson, and yellow.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen, sent **PREPAID**.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.

These Mallows are considered as the most marvelous of all hardy plants. Their flowers are of enormous size, often measuring eight to ten inches across, and are gorgeous in color. They bloom in the greatest profusion from July to October, and when in flower are a sight to behold. The plants are as hardy as an Oak, and will grow in most any soil or situation. Do not fail to include some of these in your order. We can highly recommend even the mixed colors.

### Wagner Park Scarlet Mallows

Most beautiful of all. Nothing more gorgeous in color. 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen. Large size plants, 75 cents each. Extra heavy 3-year clumps, \$1 each, **prepaid**.

**Red and Rose Shades.** This lot includes all choice bright shades.

**Pink Mallows.** Most delicate shades of pink found among these.

**White Mallows.** Center of the blossom a rich crimson, making a fine contrast.

**Prices of the Red and Rose, Pink and White Mallows:** 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen. Large size plants, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen. Extra heavy three-year clumps, 50 cents each.

### MALLOWS.

#### Mixed Colors.

This collection includes a great variety of colors from pure white to dark red and scarlet shades.



Wagner's Pink Beauty Hollyhock.



# Wagner Park Flowers



Hardy Grasses Impart a Degree of Tropical Brilliance to the Landscape.

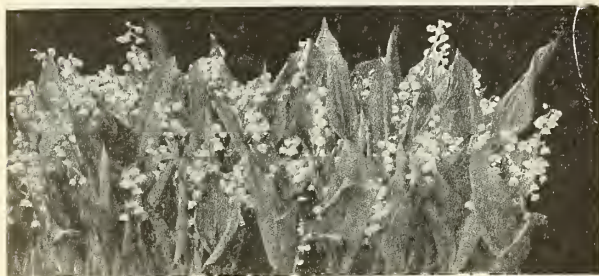
## Hardy Ornamental Grasses and Reeds

For ornamental purposes, such as hedging, planting in clumps to hide an unsightly object, or singly on the lawn, these grasses are strikingly original in effect and impart a degree of tropical brilliance to the landscape. The clumps enlarge in size yearly, each season's growth dying to the ground every winter, but is supplanted by newer, denser, and more vigorous increase. In the fall the grass may be cut and utilized for the winter protection of tender plants and roses. The plumes which these grasses produce are large and beautiful, having a feathery appearance, and may be used for interior decoration. Absolutely hardy. All our plants are propagated from the root, and hence more valuable than seedlings, which do not come true.

**EULALIA Japonica Variegata.** A standard old sort of distinctive value. Blades are striped lengthwise in a handsome manner, being a combination of creamy white in the center with a broad margin of bright green. Plumes are very beautiful.

**Gracillima.** This grand variety of Eulalia forms exceedingly handsome clumps 4 to 5 feet high, which are hardy in all parts of the country. The graceful, narrow foliage is beautiful, shining green with midrib of silvery white. We strongly recommend this superb ornamental plant.

**Japonica Zebrina.** This fine ornamental grass is the finest of all Eulalias for single lawn specimens or clumping. Grows 4 to 6 feet high. The leaf blades are deep green, distinctly striped crosswise with large bars of pure white, as shown in engraving. This artist has failed to do justice to this splendid variety in portraying the number of plumes. We had on our trial grounds as late as November 1, thousands of Japonica Zebrina with 50 to 100 plumes on single clumps. 25 cents.



Lily of the Valley, a Most Charming Flower for Bouquets.

**Japonica.** One of the most beautiful of the tall-growing grasses.

**ARUNDA DONAX Variegata.** A beautiful variety growing to a height of 6 to 8 feet. The leaves are of a glossy white always predominating; for planting masses in a conspicuous place or for adding color to a bed of ornamental grasses, it is indispensable, and no collection of hardy grasses ought to be without it. 35 cents; extra large, 50 cents.

**PHALARIS. Arundinacea Variegata.** (Ribbon Grass.) An excellent variegated foliage variety, very desirable for bordering large beds of other ornamental grasses. \$1.00 per dozen; \$5.00 per 100, **prepaid**; extra large clumps, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**HARDY FERNS.** Excellent for planting in shady places or for rockery.

**Broadleaf.** Finely dissected fronds.

**Evergreen.** Deep green fronds.

**Maidenhair.** One of the finest.

**Sword.** One of the tallest.

**IBERIS Gibraltaria.** April to June. White flowers, very fine for edging.

**LAVENDER.** (D) July, August. This is a true Sweet Lavender. A shrubby plant covered with delightfully fragrant flowers.

**LILY OF THE VALLEY. Convallari.** Large, luxuriant foliage; flowers small, bell-shaped, in pretty racemes and very fragrant. 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen, **postpaid**. Clumps, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**LIATRIS Spicata.** (T) July to September. Deep purple flowers.

**LYNCHIS Chalcedonica.** (M) June, July. Bright crimson clusters of flowers. Excellent for cutting.

**Hardy Garden Lilies** We confine our list to such as are of easy culture, and as they get the benefit of the shade of the surrounding plants, which is so necessary for their welfare.

**ELEGANS.** This class includes some of the most beautiful Lilies; flowers erect, borne in clusters; color bright flushed orange; fine for planting in masses. \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100, **prepaid**.

**TIGRINUM.** (Tiger Lily.) Orange, spotted black. \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, **prepaid**.

**TIGRINUM SPLENDENS.** (Improved Tiger Lily.) Black polished stem, very large pyramid of flowers, orange-red, spotted with black; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100, **prepaid**.

**TIGRINUM FLORE PLENA.** (Double Tiger Lily.) Orange-red spotted with black; double showy flowers. \$2.00 per dozen; \$12.00 per 100, **prepaid**.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen, sent **PREPAID**.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents, \$2.50 per dozen, \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents, \$5.00 per dozen, \$35.00 per 100.



## DAY LILIES--*Hemerocallis*



**Hemerocallis.**

### SWEET SCENTED DAY LILY—*Hemerocallis Thunbergii*

This beautiful variety possesses all the desirable features of the Hemerocallis and equal to any of the varieties in hardiness and vigorous growth. The blossoms are pure yellow and sweetly scented and produced on long stems. It blooms so freely it would be practical to class it among the ever-blooming plants, for the handsome blossoms may be seen from early June to late summer. The finest and best of all.

One of the most beautiful and popular of our garden perennials. The foliage is narrow, grass-like, and remarkably free from insect enemies. These plants are so hardy that they need no protection over winter, even in the severest climates. They possess a constitution equal to that of Golden Glow. The flowers resemble the famous Easter Lilies. The blossoms are excellent for cutting, lasting a long while and the most backward buds will open when in water.

The culture of these plants is very simple as they thrive in almost any kind of soil, but the most luxuriant growth and profusion of blossoms may be had when planted in a shady, moist location. Our stock of Hemerocallis is field grown and can be depended upon to be the truest grown. Certainly no perennial is more worthy of cultivation and none more satisfactory. For massing or planting in the hardy border with other varieties of plants or shrubs, it is unrivaled.

**HEMEROCALLIS Apricot.** (D) A splendid new hybrid variety of good growth. Flowers are a rich apricot shade, a color seldom seen among plants.

**Disticha fl. pl.** (M) Broad foliage of good height. A late blooming variety. Flowers are double orange yellow shaded copper.

**Dumortieri.** (Japanese Day Lily) (D) A dwarf growing variety and of the earliest to bloom. Flowers a rich candidum yellow, reverse of petals bronze orange.

**Flava.** (Lemon Lily) (M) Gracefully arching leaves and fragrant, clear yellow flowers on long stems.

**Fulva.** (European Day Lily) (M) A variety of the easiest culture. Flowers bronzy orange color. 75 cents per dozen; \$5.00 per 100, **prepaid**; large plants, \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100. extra heavy clumps, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Gold Dust.** (D) Flowers bright Indian-yellow, buds and reverse of petals bronzy-gold. 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen; \$12.50 per 100; larger plants, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Kwamso.** This variety is equal to the Thunbergii in hardiness and luxuriant growth. The foliage is slightly broader and of a good color. Blossoms are borne on long, stiff stems and are of orange-yellow color. Its flowering period is during June and July. An excellent variety in every way.

**Luteola.** (M) A magnificent new hybrid combining the floriferous characteristics of Thunbergii. The long-tubed, half-reflexed, bright golden yellow flowers are borne on tall branching stems, each flower very large and are produced continuously throughout the summer.

**Middendorffii.** (M) This variety is a native of Siberia and Japan. The blossoms are golden yellow and are fragrant.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen, sent **PREPAID**.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents, \$2.50 per dozen, \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps 50 cents, \$5.00 per dozen, \$35.00 per 100.





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## Iris Germanica--German Iris

The beauty of the Iris is proverbial; the very name refers us to the rainbow and the eye, two of nature's most beautiful objects. Irises flourish and flower exceedingly in any ordinary soil; however, they delight in well-rotted manure and deep, rich soil. Many are very thirsty subjects and adorn the margins of ponds and streams. They are also indispensable for shrubbery borders, etc., and are very effective. They are invaluable in the herbaceous borders both on account of their hardiness and easy culture, and for the lavish wealth of blossoms that crown their numerous stems. This group includes all the broad-leaved Iris. For the wild garden, shrubbery borders, margins of water, rock-work, etc., they are admirably adapted, in fact, hardly any place can be found in which some of this section will not thrive. They are the most resplendent flowers for Decoration Day, fully equal if not superior to anything else. Their beauty and fragrance have won a place in many gardens and will be planted more extensively in the future. Height, 15 to 24 inches.



Note the Size of the Individual Blossoms of the German Iris and the Quantity on a Single Stem

**SPECIAL NOTE.**—Those varieties underlined have been grown in immense quantities that we may offer them to all who desire to make heavy plantings of Iris. These Irises come into bloom just at Decoration Day time when every one is looking for flowers. They are very desirable for cutting.

**Atropurpurea** Deep purple, large and fine. \$50 per 1,000; for dozen and 100 price, see below.

**ALVELREA.** (M) Upright petals light blue, falls brilliant purple. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50c.

**AUREA.** (M) Solid chrome yellow, no markings.

**BRIDESMAID.** (M) A soft lavender, falls penciled carmine.

**CANDICANS.** Light lavender; falls reddish purple. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**CALYPSO.** Pale blue, veined white and pale lilac.

**COMPTE DE ST. CLAIR.** Deep violet. A fine variety.

**CELESTE.** (M) Pure celestial blue, changing to porcelain.

**DONNA MARIE.** (M) Center petals pearly white outside, petals shaded lilac. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**FRAGRANS.** Stands white edged blue, falls white blue veined. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50c.

**FLAVESCENS.** Light primrose yellow, very large, fine flower and remarkably free blooming.

**GLADSTONE.** Erect petals violet, drooping petals violet and white striped.

**GRACCHUS.** Erect petals lemon; drooping petals pale yellow reticulated purple; dwarf compact growing; remarkably fine flowering.

**HER MAJESTY.** (T) Pinkish violet and deep reddish violet with dark veinings. 35 cents each. Heavy clumps, 75 cents.

**Honorabilis** Stands golden yellow, falls crimson brown. \$45.00 per 1,000; for dozen and 100 price, see below.

**INNOCENZA.** Stands pure white, falls tinged violet.

**JOHN DEWITT.** (M) Stands bluish violet, falls deep violet purple. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50c.

**L'INNOCENCE.** White edged blue. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**Mad. Chereau** Pure white, edges penciled with lavender. \$50.00 per 1,000; for dozen and 100 price, see below.

**MME. ALMIRA.** A fine new sort. Handsome silvery white with blue sheen.

**MRS. DARWIN.** (M) Very fine large pearly white, free flowering. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**Neclecta** (T) Upright fine, deep lavender, falls purple, large flowers, very fine. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**PEARL.** Stands light lavender, falls deep lavender. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**QUEEN OF THE GYPSIES.** Stands light brown, falls reddish purple and gold.

**SOUVENIR.** (M) Uprights brilliant yellow, falls freely veined net work of yellow, buff and maroon. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**Spectabilis** Stands pale lavender, falls blue and old gold. \$40.00 per 1,000; for dozen and 100 price, see below.

**Virgils** A light brownish blue, lower petals purple and gold. \$40.00 per 1,000; for dozen and 100 price, see below.

**Walneri** Lilac center, lower petals purple, \$45.00 per 1,000; for dozen and 100 price, see below.

**WILLIAM III.** Stands light blue with darker veins, falls buff yellow, light blue veins.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen, sent PREPAID.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents, \$2.50 per dozen, \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents, \$5.00 per dozen, \$35.00 per 100.





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Iris Kaempferi--Japanese Iris

With a great blaze of splendor the Japanese Iris brings the Iris season to a close. The last to bloom, it is a glorious climax to the grand Iris procession that began early with dwarf forms of April and May, following each other with constantly increasing boldness of form and color until June ushered in the great Germanica family (listed on page 20) with its massive sheets of color, followed in quick succession by tall Iris Kaempferi, crowning glory of all, with its great bloom measuring nearly a foot in diameter, rising on tall stems to a height of five feet. Seeing them for the first time, one cannot withhold an exclamation of surprise and wonder, and having once seen them can never forget their striking beauty. The varieties we offer are all distinct kinds, true to descriptions given. We have numbered our collections so that customers may order by number.

- No. 2 Flowers double white. Exceedingly beautiful.
- No. 4 Beautiful single lavender, striped with deep lilac. Earliest to bloom.
- No. 5 Large single purple, with white wax-like center.
- No. 6 Immense double purple, marked with white and lavender, wax-like center.
- No. 7 A very early single variety. White blotched with carmine.
- No. 8 A very fine double of the deepest purple.
- No. 11 Single pink striped with white. Of fine form and very attractive. 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen.
- No. 15 Double white flowers, suffused with lavender. 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50c.
- No. 17 Single lavender. Fine, large flower. 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50 cents.
- No. 19 A grand double variety. White center with pink edge. 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.
- No. 21 Double, delicate light blue flowers. A grand variety. 40 cents each; \$4.00 per dozen.

**Price** All above varieties of Japan Iris, except where noted, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100. **PREPAID.**

**Price** Large size, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per doz.; \$35.00 per 100.

## Miscellaneous Irises

There is a peculiar charm about the various Iris that appeals irresistibly to those whose taste for the refined and delicately beautiful leads them to seek a close acquaintance with it. The rare beauty of its soft coloring, and its frail, orchid-like formation, is likely to pass unnoticed by the careless observer, but to him who stops to gaze into the depths of the Iris flower and comes under its magic spell, a new world is opened, for an Iris garden is a floral world by itself.

**Pallida Albert Victor.** (T) Very large, late, deep, lavender, extra fine. 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**Pallida Dalmatica** (T) One of the finest of the Germanica type, of strong, vigorous habit, growing on good soil, 4 feet high with exceptionally large fragrant flowers, light lavender, falls lavender shaded blue; exquisite in every way; fine for massing. 25 cents each, \$2.50 per dozen, **prepaid**; heavy clumps, 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Iris Pallida Queen of May.** Erect petals orange, falls rosy lilac, veined yellow, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Large clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Iris Pallida Speciosa.** Stands dark lavender, falls light purple. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Harlequin** (M) An Orchid-like flower, stands pearly white with purple spots, falls heavily striped with deep purple. 50 cents each; \$5.00 per doz. Heavy clumps, 75 cents each.

**Pumila Iris** This variety is of the earliest to bloom and are the dwarfest of all the Irises. Very fine for borders and for rock garden or general planting. Color is rich, royal purple. We offer 12 good, healthy roots for \$1.00; 100 roots, \$6.00, **prepaid**. Large size roots, \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, as long as they last, 40 cents; \$4.00 per dozen.

**Iris Florentina** The flowers are of large size and very fragrant, the fall petals often measuring three and one-half inches long. The color



**The Siberian Iris is Unusually Fine for Cutting, Owing to Its Long Stems.**

is pure white tinged with blue, and of the earliest to come into bloom. This variety is already a favorite in many of our old gardens, and when its beauty and merit become known, every garden will contain quantities of it. As long as they last, we offer strong roots at \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100, **prepaid**. Large roots, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen, \$1.50 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Iris Orientalis "Snow Queen."** Large, ivory-white flowers on long stems. Nice, thrifty plants, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents each.

**Siberian Iris** The most elegant and delicate of the Iris, foliage narrow, grass-like with flower stems long and blossoms a clear blue. A very free flowering variety, and one of the best for cutting. We offer 12 good, healthy roots for 75 cents; 100 roots, \$5.00, **prepaid**. We also have some extra heavy clumps which we offer, as long as they last, 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$10.00.

**Pseudacorus** (Water Flag) A very desirable and satisfactory variety for planting in marshes and water courses. Blossoms in May and June, and the color of the flower is yellow, which is a very rare color among the Irises. Our extraordinary offer: \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.00 per 100, **prepaid**. Large size, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen. Extra heavy clumps, 40 cents; \$4.00 per dozen.

**SPECIAL OFFER** One each of the miscellaneous Iris, \$1.50 prepaid  
One each in extra heavy clumps, \$3.50 prepaid

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# Wagner Park Flowers



## Perennial Phlox



It is no exaggeration to say that the Perennial Phlox are among the best and most popular garden plants. For producing a grand show of color, they have no equal; they produce a fine effect when grouped with other plants in the hardy border, furnishing brightness after the shrubs are done blooming, and they do much to make the garden gay throughout the season.

The old-fashioned Phlox often had simply small tufts of bloom at the top of a small, almost naked stem. The newer and improved varieties are more compact and do not grow quite so tall. The panicles of bloom are simply immense, often measuring 12 inches in diameter. The blossoms are as large as geraniums.

Another good quality is its long continuance in bloom. It begins to blossom in early summer and continues until late in the fall; sometimes showing a mass of bloom for three months.

Phlox thrive in any ordinarily rich soil, and are not subject to any insect pest. When they are in bloom they should be given a plentiful supply of water. They like sunshine, and a full exposure is desirable for them.

The perfect hardiness is another strong feature in its favor. We have never known of its being winter killed in any section of the country. Like all perennials, a mulching of good stable manure after the ground is frozen, is beneficial to it; this can be

carefully dug in around the plants in the spring.

The plant increases in size every year, and a well-grown clump will send up a large number of stalks until you have a solid mass of color. Plants set in good soil, with proper care, will bloom the first year, but they will not do themselves justice until the second year.

**Bridesmaid.** (M) Pure white, with large, crimson center; very free flowering.

**Coquelicot.** (M) Fine flowering scarlet with deep crimson eye.

**The Great Variety of Phlox and Continuance of Bloom Make Them the Choicest of Hardy Plants.**

**Champs Elysee.** (M) Rich, deep purplish crimson.  
**Eclairer.** (D) Flowers are of immense size. Bright violet-purple, with very light markings—almost white—at base of petals, with carmine eye. One of the choicest varieties.

**Etna.** (M) Bright scarlet with crimson eye.

**Gen. Chanzy.** (M) A beautiful scarlet pink, on fine large spikes; one of the latest flowering variety.

**Heroine.** (M) A fine light violet-blue.

**Isabell Dupuy.** (M) Rose, red center. One of the best pinks, very bright, excellent for backgrounds.

**Cameron.** (D) Large, perfect flowers; flesh pink with large compact flower head, crimson eye.

**Jeanne D'Arc.** (M) Absolutely snow-white, medium-sized flower and truss. A very free-bloomer, and late flowering variety.

**Jean Liard.** (M) Extra large flowers, forming large, compact flower heads. Color, rosy pink with bright, crimson star in center. Very handsome.

**J. T. Temple.** (D) Deep pink, very fine.

**L. Esperence.** (M) Lavender-pink, large white eye; one of the finest in our collection.

**Montaguard.** (M) Large, round flowers of a pure, deep crimson, the most showy Phlox we have.

**Matador.** (M) Orange scarlet, bright cherry eye.

**Miss Linguard.** (M) A grand early white, lilac eye.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, sent PREPAID.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents, \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Perennial Phlox--Continued

### New Phlox of Our Own Introduction

These grand new varieties originated on our ground, and are the result of many thousands of seedlings. We consider them a great acquisition to this family of plants, and can recommend them very highly.

**American Beauty.** (M) Very pleasing rose shade with dark center; flowers are produced in large trusses and long, stiff stems. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large plants 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Aurora.** (M) Light pink with crimson center. 30 cents; \$2.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large plants, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Amethyst.** (M) Violet rose; a little deeper towards the center. Late flowering, which makes it a very valuable variety. Nice, thrifty plants, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 30 cents; \$3.00 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 dozen.

**Col. Kilborn.** (M) Rosy purple, bright red center, very fine. Nice, thrifty plants, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Liberty.** (M) Immense clusters; fine, bright rose with carmine center, distinct from any other variety; desirable for solid beds or in the shrubbery border. Nice, thrifty plants, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 40 cents; \$4.00 per dozen.

**Mrs. Freshard.** (M) Deep rose pink, suffused red and carmine, purple center. Nice, thrifty plants, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 40 cents; \$4.00 per dozen. Clumps 75 cents.

**President Wilson.** (M) A beautiful rosy pink, with crimson center. Nice, thrifty plants, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen. Clumps, 75 cents; \$8.00 per dozen.

**Sunset.** (M) Beautiful deep pink, and will without doubt supersede all others of this color; excellent for massing or in solid beds. Nice, thrifty plants, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 30 cents; \$3.00 per dozen.

**Wm. Robinson.** Rosy salmon, small crimson eye, very fine flowers, 15 cents. Price of all field grown plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. We have stock only of those marked field grown.

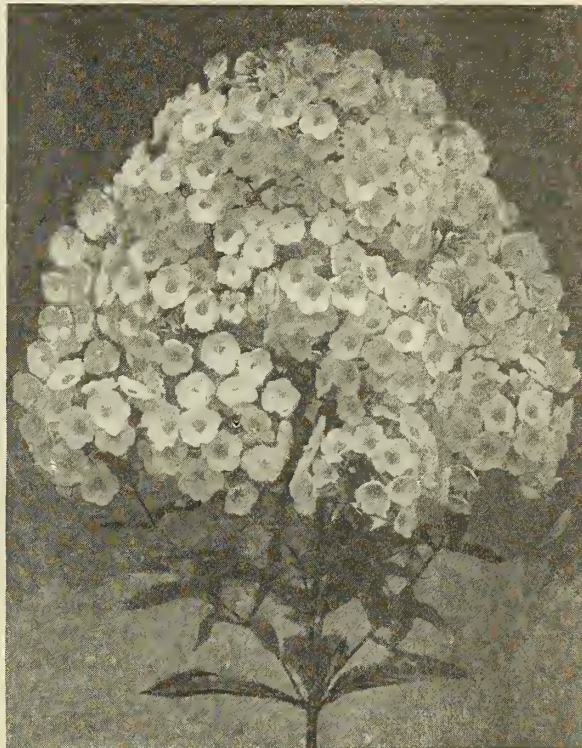
**Peachblow.** (D) Delicate pink, with white markings, deep rose eye. A fine, large flower. The latest flowering and best for edging.

**Pink Beauty.** (M) A very fine pale pink of enormous size.

**The Pearl.** (M) A good standard white variety.

**Wagner Park Everblooming.** This beautiful pink, one of the earliest to flower, and if the old flowers are kept cut off, it will bloom more or less the entire season. A grand variety. Nice, thrifty plants, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**President Taft.** (M) Rosy pink with large white center. Large trusses and very free flowering. Nice, thrifty plants 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 40 cents; \$4.00 per dozen; \$30.00 per 100.



Individual Cluster of Phlox.

## Wagner's Special Phlox Offer No. 50

This collection consists of a choice lot of seedlings selected for their superior quality, color, and size of flower clusters. They surpass many of the named varieties in size of flower and truss. Color ranges from delicate flesh to bright pink, reds, and other beautiful shades. \$1.00 per dozen; sent **prepaid**. Heavy plants, 25 cents, \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

### Phlox 'Subulata

(Moss, or Mountain Pink.)

An early spring flowering type, with pretty moss-like evergreen foliage, which, during the flowering season, is hidden under the masses of bloom. An excellent plant for the rockery, the border, and invaluable for carpeting the ground or covering graves.

**Rosea.** A very free flowering variety. Color bright rose, with darker center. When in bloom is a solid mass of color. \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, **prepaid**. Heavy clumps, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. \$15.00 per 100.

**Alba.** A fine, pure white variety. \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, **prepaid**. Heavy clumps 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, sent **PREPAID**.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.

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# Wagner Park Flowers

## Wagner Park Peonies, The Flower Beautiful



A Planting of Peonies on Our Grounds.

Wagner Park Herbaceous Peonies are the most beautiful of all the Hardy Perennial plants, and should be in every garden, large or small, in bed, borders, shrubberies or drives; in park, grass or woodland. They should, therefore, be planted near at hand for close enjoyment of their beauty, as well as in masses for distant color effect, in lines straight or curving on the margin of shrubberies, and in groups between shrubs; in large or small beds in the midst of turf; in borders at the foot of walls; and in mixed borders at constant intervals; and the rougher parts of the garden. All these situations they adorn. There is no other plant that will make such a magnificent display of color, or gives so much satisfaction in return for the trouble involved in its cultivation.

Whether in the old kinds or in Wagner's lovely new varieties, they will thrive in practically any position, and there is hardly one which will not flourish to perfection. They are amenable to the simplest treatment in any soil and are as hardy as the dock by the wayside. They need not the slightest protection.

The flowers are produced in great profusion in an almost endless variety of lovely tints, and in many cases with the fragrance of the tea rose. They are of extreme beauty for decoration, and in large gardens a considerable space should be especially devoted to Wagner's Peonies for cut flowers for the house; in vases and bowls no flower is richer or more handsome, and for large functions the blossoms are invaluable.

The delightful perfume of some of the varieties, more particularly the choicer kinds, makes them very valuable. Another merit which the herbaceous Peony possesses lies in its beautiful foliage, which causes it to be almost as attractive in its young growth and autumn tints as when in flower.

### Our First Prize Varieties

These varieties we consider the best for general planting.

**First Prize Pink.** A beautiful pink, the tips shading to a silver shade; almost identical to a La France rose. The blossoms are extra large with long stems and well adapted for cutting. 30 cents each; \$3.00 per doz.

**First Prize Red.** In color this variety resembles the American Beauty rose, but surpasses it on account of

its larger size and profusion of blossoms. 35 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen.

**First Prize White.** A large, pure white with a very few pink markings in the center. Fine for general cultivation. 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen.

One each of the three varieties, in nice large roots, \$1.00, PREPAID; in larger size roots, \$2.00; in undivided clumps, \$5.00.

### Other Choice Named Peonies

We do not aim to list all varieties, but only those of real merit and such that have proven satisfactory. Our complete list comprises over two hundred varieties.

**American Beauty.** Deep pink. 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen; large heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**Agida.** Dark, rich red. 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen; large, heavy clumps, \$1.00 each.

**Achilles.** Light flesh pink. 50 cents.

**Berlioz.** Color currant red. 75 cents each.

**Compte de Manteuil.** Deep rose petals tipped with white. 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen; large heavy clumps, 75 cts.

**Clarissa.** Rose pink, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100. Large heavy clumps, 60 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Compte de Paris.** Rose color with salmon center. 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen. Large, heavy clumps, 60 cents.

**Dorton's Coros.** Beautiful, bright pink. 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen. Large, heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**Duc de Gazes.** Outer petals deep rose, center silvery rose. 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 75 cents.

**Duke of Wellington.** Ivory white, creamy center, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen.

**Dorchester.** Delicate salmon flesh. \$1.00 each.

**Festiva Maxima.** Largest white variety. 75 cents; \$7.50 per dozen.

**Festiva Alba.** Pure white, fine form, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Fragrans.** Violet rose. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100. Large, heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Ivory.** White with ivory tints. 30 cents; \$3.00 per dozen.

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Can You Marvel at the Beauty of the Peony When Producing Large Blossoms?—Variety Illustrated is **Humei Rosea**.

**Charlemange** Lilac white, slight blush center. One of the best. \$1.00 each.

**Faust** Salmon Pink, center grayish white. Very fine. \$1.00 each.

**Formosa Rosea** Guard petals light rose, petaloids of silvery rose. \$1.00 each.

**Grandiflora Superba** Dark pink, center light rose. Very showy. \$1 each.

**Humei Rosea** Enormous double flowers. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100. Heavy clumps, 50 cents.

**Hercartian** Guard petals deep rose, with incurved petaloids of silvery rose. \$1.00 each.

**L' Eblouissante.** Rich, dark crimson. 75 cents.

**L'Esperence** Rose pink, early fragrant. 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen. Heavy clumps, \$1.00.

**Lady Elbrower.** Light pink. 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen. Large, heavy clumps, 75 cents.

**Lady Bramwell.** Silvery rose. 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen. Heavy clumps, \$1.00.

**Md. Breson.** Flesh color, whitish yellow center. 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen. Large, heavy clumps, 75 cents.

**Model of Perfection.** Fragrant, clear flesh pink, 75c.

**Marie Lemoine** Delicate flesh, 50 cents; \$3.00 per dozen. Large, heavy clumps, \$1.

**Odorata** Guard petals deep rose, rosette center of lighter shade. \$1.00 each.

**Prince of Wales** Bright pink. 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen.

**Princess Beatrice.** Large, clear pink. 50 cents.

**Purpurea Superba.** Large purplish crimson. 50 cents.

**Queen Alexandria.** Deep carmine. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Rubens** Dark crimson red, tinted velvet, yellow stamens. \$1.50 each.

**Rubra Superba.** Rich brilliant crimson. \$1.00.

**Rosea Elegans.** Delicate rose. 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 75 cents.

**Reine Des Francois** Guard petals fleshy pink, petaloids creamy white, with lavender tuft. \$1.50 each.

**Whitleyi.** (Queen Victoria) Pure white. 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen.

## Japanese Varieties

**Miles Staudish.** Shell pink, chrysanthemum center. 40 cents; \$4.00 per dozen. Heavy clumps, 90 cents.

**Queen Esther.** Blush white, chrysanthemum center. 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen. Large, heavy clumps, \$1.00.

## Single Varieties

**Tenuefolia.** Rich crimson. Finely cut foliage. 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Single Red.** Very showy. 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Single Rose.** 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

## Peony Moutan or Tree Peony

We list three most desirable colors: **White, Pink,** and **Red.** Price, \$1.00 each. One of each color, \$2.75.





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Papaver Orientale

(Poppy) Nothing can equal these in gorgeous effect and whether planted singly or in masses, their large flowers of a rich, brilliant color and their freedom of bloom render them conspicuous in any position. Undoubtedly the most showy and effective plants grown. Our stock is carefully selected and you can be assured of having something very fine when purchasing from us.

**PAPAVER BRACEATUM.** A charming species, with immense deep blood-crimson flowers, having a black blotch at the base of each petal.

**PACHYSANDRA Terminalis.** (D) May, June. White flowers.

**PENTSTEMON. Barbatus Torreyi.** June to September. Bright red flowers.

**Ovatus.** (D) July to September. Flowers blue shaded bronzy-purple.

**Pubescens.** (D) July, August. Bright rosy purple flowers.

**Smalli.** (D) Rosy-carmine flowers in early summer.

## Periwinkle

(Hardy Myrtle) For covering bare ground under trees where grass will not grow, or trailing rock work. It is indispensable. In spring it is covered with blue flowers. Perfectly hardy in all localities.

## Physostegia Virginica

An unique and attractive American plant that stands apart from all other hardy plants. For massing or planting with appropriate varieties in the hardy border or with shrubs it is unrivaled. It is perfectly hardy and possesses a constitution equal to that of Golden Glow. Flowers are produced in large, graceful spikes and are a bright, soft pink. Begins to bloom about the first of July and if kept cut, will flower more or less for about three months. Will succeed in most any kind of soil. \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100, prepaid. Large plants, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen.

## Hardy Garden Pinks

(See illustration inside front cover.) These are among the old favorites, easy to grow, once planted they are there to stay, and continue to increase as the years go by. Every one who loves a



**Pyrethrum Hybridum.**

flowers, loves the old-fashioned Pink; graceful habit, delicate colors and sweet clove scent all combine to make it a general favorite. The marked improvement in this plant during the last few years has been something wonderful; instead of small flowers we now have blooms that in size and color are nearly equal to the fancy green-house carnations. For edging a bed of hardy plants they are without a rival, but may be planted in masses with good effect. The varieties we list below we consider the best of their color.

**Lord Lyon.** Fine, showy, bright pink flowers on long, stiff stems. This variety will give entire satisfaction. See colored illustration inside front cover.

**Carmen.** A strong grower producing fine pink flowers which are fragrant.

**POLYGONUM Compactum.** (T) Small white flowers.

**PLATYCODON. Maresii.** (D) June to October. This variety has deep blue, bell-shaped flowers, nearly 3 inches across.

**PRIMULA. Polyanthus.** (D) April, May. A wide range of colors.

**Veris Superba.** (D) Beautiful yellow flowers, very distinct. 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen.

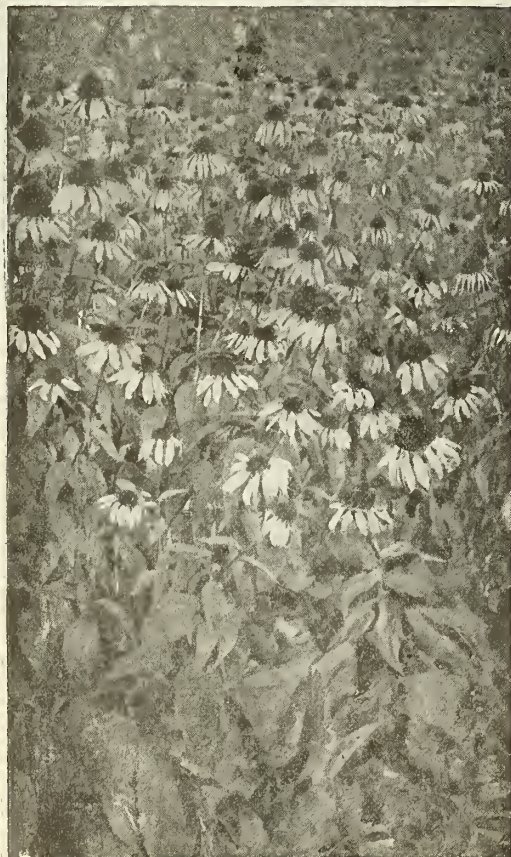
**Pyrethrum Hybridum** (D) (See cut.) Too much cannot be said in favor of this grand hardy perennial. No class of plants gives a wider range of colors, while the form and substance of the flowers is all that could be wished. Their main season of blooming is in June, but if the old flower stems are removed, they will give a fair sprinkling of flowers in the autumn. The bloom is similar to that of an aster, and ranges in color from pure white and the various shades of pink and red to deep purple.

**Uliginosum.** (Giant Daisy) (T) July to September. Large white Daisy-like flowers. Excellent for the hardy border and cutting.

**RHEUM. Emodi.** (Ornamental Rhubarb.) Majestic foliage. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen, sent PREPAID.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen, \$35.00 per 100.



**Rudbeckia Purpurea.**





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Rudbeckia Purpurea (See cut.) An entirely distinct variety from all other

perennials and thrives in any ordinary soil. They are so simple and easily cultivated that we recommend them to any one having a garden, whether large or small. The foliage being dense and of a good color makes them one of the choicest hardy perennials. The flowers are of a peculiar formation as well as color, which is reddish purple with large, cone-shaped center in brown. \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100, prepaid. Large plants, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Golden Glow.** (T) August, September. This is one of the most popular hardy plants now grown which is a very strong and robust grower, producing a mass of flowers resembling the Cactus Dahlia. It makes a gorgeous display either planted in clumps or mixed with shrubbery or other hardy plants.

**Laciniata.** (T) July to September. A magnificent and stately plant producing masses of large golden yellow flowers; well formed and borne on long stems which render them suitable for cutting.

**Newman.** (M) August to October. Yellow flowers, with deep purple cones.

**Sub-Tomentosa.** A pyramidal, densely-branched plant, two and one-half feet high, which is completely enveloped throughout the summer in a mass of brilliant lemon-yellow flowers with dark purple centers.

**SPIRAEA Aruncus.** (M) Flowers white, 25 cents.

**Fillipendula.** fl. pl. (D) Corymbs of double white flowers. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Japonica.** (M) June, July. Pure white flowers. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Queen Alexandria.** (M) June, July. Silvery pink flowers. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

## Sedum Spectabilis

(See cut.) A very desirable hardy perennial thriving in

any good soil and produces most pleasing effects when used as an edging to a bed of other plants. In formal work it is indispensable, as it grows compact and bushy. Foliage is a beautiful light green and quite broad. Flowers are rose colored and cover the entire top of the plant when in full bloom. \$1.00 per dozen. \$8.00 per 100, prepaid. Large plants, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen; \$12.00 per 100; extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**SOLIDAGO Sempervirens.** (Golden Rod) (T) This is the most showy of all species.

**STATICE Latifolia.** (D) June to September. Flowers blue.

**STENANTHIUM Robustum.** Showy white plumes, 50 cents.

**STOKESIA.** Cyanea. As a single specimen or grouped in the border, it makes for itself a place that is not filled by any other hardy plant. The plants grow from eighteen to twenty-four inches high and bloom from July until late into October. Its beautiful Centaurea-like flowers of a delicate lavender blue color, are four or five inches in diameter and are highly prized for cutting. No picture or description can do justice to its delicate beauty. Of the easiest culture, succeeds in any sunny location.

**TANACETUM.** Vulgare. (Tansy) (M) Golden-yellow flowers in midsummer.

**TRADESCANTIA Virginiana.** (D) May to September. Numerous panicles of violet-blue flowers.

**Tritoma** A most beautiful and exceedingly ornamental flowering plant, surpassing the finest Cannas and equal to Gladiolus as a cut flower; planted in the shrubbery border with other herbaceous plants they give a superb effect; they prefer a light, rich, sandy soil.

**Hybrida Express.** (M) June to October. One of the very finest yet introduced. It is a continuous bloomer, producing perfect flowers which are of a brilliant orange-scarlet that does not vary in color at any time. A very early blooming variety.

**Pfitzerli.** (M) July to November. A rich orange-scarlet, producing a grand effect either planted singly in the border or in masses.

**Uvaria Grandiflora.** (M) July to October. Flowers dark red; a tall, strong grower and very free-flowering. This variety is the hardest in cultivation.

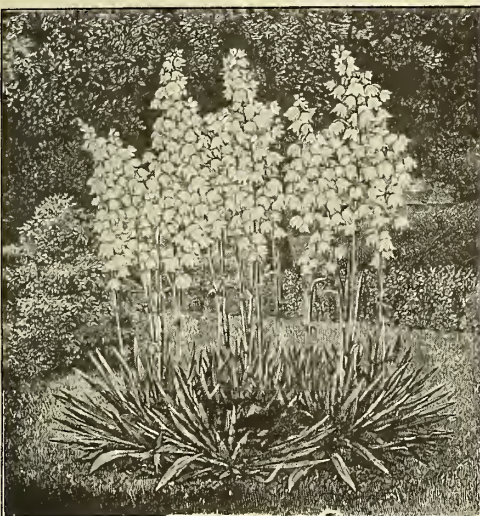
**VALERIANA.** (Garden Heliotrope.) (M) Pinkish-blue flowers.

**VERONICA.** Incana. (D) August, October. Silvery foliage, amethyst-blue flowers.

**MARITIMA.** Long spikes of blue flowers from July to September; 2 feet.

**VIOLET.** La France. Single flowers, light purple. 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen, prepaid; large size, 25 cents.

**Yucca Fillamentosa** (See cut.) (Adam's Needle.) Yuccas



Yucca.

plants thriving on rocks, in sand, gravel, or almost anywhere, sufficiently well to produce its picturesque sharp foliage. A good soil or heavy dressing is necessary to bring forth its stems, 6 to 7 feet high, with from 50 to 200 oval, creamy-yellow blossoms, 2 inches long. The foliage is evergreen, making it an attractive plant throughout the year. 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen, prepaid; large size, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; extra heavy. 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

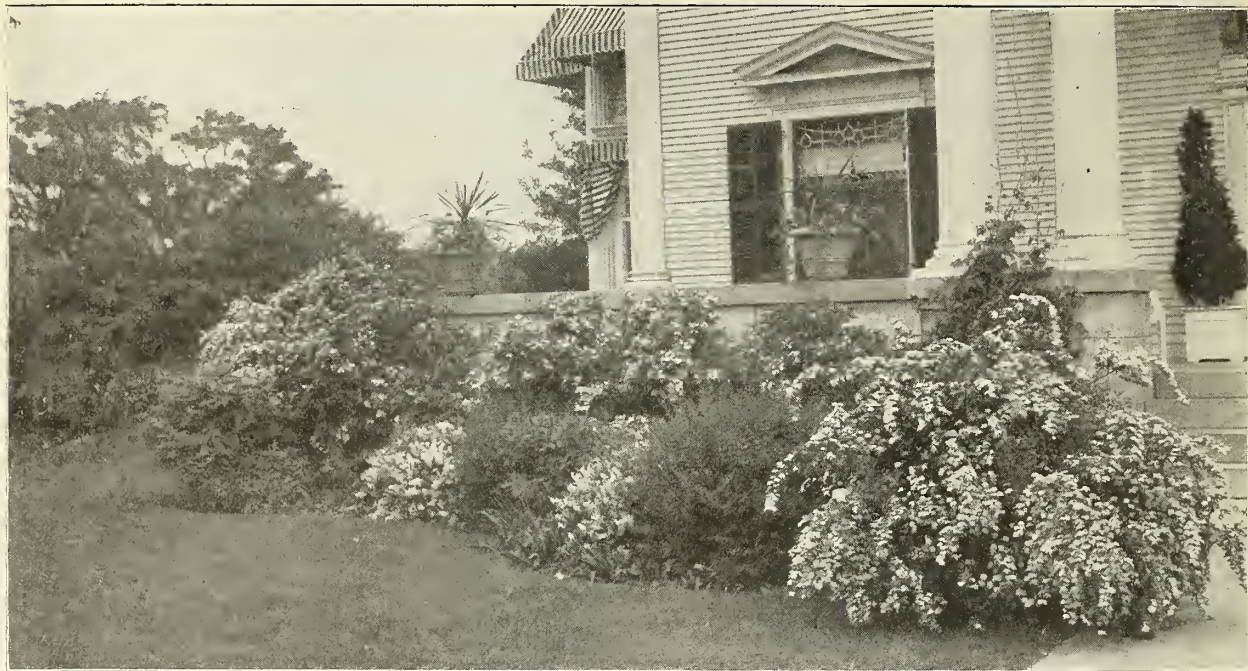
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# Wagner Park Flowers



A Very Attractive and Effective Shrub Planting.

## Hardy Flowering Shrubs

Happily the charm of color is not wholly claimed by the gay gamut of flowers. The very fine collection of evergreen, deciduous, and flowering shrubs at Wagner Park nurseries offers endless opportunity for producing beautiful effects practically the year 'round. A mass of common bush Holly (*Mahonia Aquifolia*) to select a very simple example, will put warmth and cheer into the grayest November day, while the brilliance of tone and the handsome, glossy foliage of a Barberry hedge under December skies will make us forget "the joys of June." We should like to be able to devise for every nature-lover a "shrub-itinerary," so to say, with a special eye to exposure, climate, etc.; we do this, indeed, when clients consult us.

The Magnolia, whiter in blossom than the snowy narcissus, and, with certain varieties, almost as daring in appearing "before the swallow dares"; the fern-like grace and elegance of all the Spireae, the delicate Forsythia, Deutzia, Diervilla (*Wiegela*) the odd Japonica with their oriental suggestion and interest, the old-timer Philadelphus or "Syringo"—sweetest, daintiest bush of the Puritan gardens—the spring list is endless. That other distinguished member of the Syringa family, the Lilac, deserves, perhaps, a chapter all by itself. We are specialists in this flower of unfailing, ever-growing popularity. If you are a lilac-lover, if their mauve and fragrance have wrought their charm on you, the scores of rare varieties at Wagner Park would rouse your enthusiasm to a rare pitch.

Through the hot, dry period of summer, the coolness and rest of a fine shrub plantation is indescribably refreshing. And if there are any plants we could not part with they are the late-flowering shrubs—a fine list, though not a long one—that usher in autumn and linger to make the American "fall" one of the most admired spectacles in nature. The cultural requirements of ordinary shrubs are very simple. "Success with Shrubs," when the plants are vigorous Wagner Park stock, is easy, pleasurable, and sure. All Wagner Park Shrubs have been transplanted and are in robust health and condition. As the height of plants is often no criterion of quality we give, in several instances, the diameter also for comparison and guide.

We bring particular training and experience to the matter of congenial combinations. In fact a Wagner shrub plantation is a real study in artistic values; knowledge and long experience playing an important role in the happy juxtaposition of greens, browns, silvers, golds—the regard for picturesque outline, for simplicity of effect without monotony of sorts, for privacy without loss of views and "vistas." It is in ways like this that Wagner "plants and plans" are made to produce their delightful effects.

Specifically Evergreen Shrubs are treated under the chapter-head, "Evergreens," pages 23 to 28, and to which your attention is directed in connection with shrub and tree planting.

**VARIETIES SUITABLE FOR SHADY PLACES.** Altheas, Berberis, Caryopteris (Blue Spirea), Cornus, Cydonia, Deutzia, Forsythias, Hydrangeas, Kerrias, Philadelphus, Rhus, Sambucus, Spireas, Symphoricarpus (Snowberry), Syringas (Lilacs), Tamarix, and Viburnum. The above varieties will also thrive in sunny, open situations.

**VARIETIES WITH VARIEGATED, HIGHLY COLORED FOLIAGE, BARK, AND BERRIES.** The following with variegated and colored foliage: Berberis Purpurea, Corylus Atropurpurea, Kerria Variegata, Forsythia Aurea, Philadelphus Aurea, Sambucus Aurea, and Variegata, Spirea Opulifolia Aurea, Weigela Variegata. Among trees, Prunus Pissardi and Japanese Maples. The following varieties having berries: Berberis, all varieties, Callicarpa, Cornus Siberica, Cydonia, Euonymus (Strawberry Tree), Eleagnus, Lonicera, Myrica, Rhus all varieties, Rhodotyphus, Ribes, Sambucus, Rosa Rugosa, Symphoricarpus (Snowberry, Red and White), Viburnum (Snowball) Opulus, Lantana, and Dilatatum. The following have highly colored bark: Cornus Siberica, Sanguinea and Stolonifera.

Shrubs always have hard wood like the branches of a tree, and this wood does not die during the winter, except in a few of the more tender varieties, which branches should be cut off as soon as the live branches begin to sprout in the spring.

**SPECIAL NOTE.**—We wish to call attention to the very low prices we quote at the bottom of each page on shrubs, for regular, large, and extra large sizes. Our lowest prices are for nice, thrifty, two-year-old plants, but where best effects and quick results are wanted we always recommend the large or extra large sizes. Extra selected specimen plants vary in price according to size and variety, \$1.00 to \$5.00 each.

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**ABBREVIATIONS.** (Indicate height when matured.) (I) Indicates height from 1 to 3 feet; plant from 1½ to 3 feet apart. (II) Indicates height from 3 to 8 feet; plant from 3 to 5 feet apart. (III) Indicates height from 8 to 12 feet; plant from 5 to 8 feet apart. Closer plantings may be made if heavy mass effects are desired.

**ALTHEA.** (Hibiscus or Rose of Sharon) (III) Well known to all, these handsome, late, summer blooming shrubs are highly decorative and particularly effective, coming into bloom when few shrubs are in flower. When pruned in the early spring they make a steady growth and flower profusely the next fall. As a hedge plant, they are extremely valuable.

**Boule de Feu.** Large single violet-red flowers, very showy.

**Comte de Hainault.** Semi double; pale pink, shading to crimson center; medium grower; fine variety.

**Duc de Brabant.** A fine variety, bearing large dark rose-colored flowers.

**Elegantissima Plena.** Double; white, shaded with rose.

**Lady Stanley.** Double blush-white flowers.

**Leopoldi Plena.** Large; double, flesh-colored flowers, shaded with rose; foliage lacinated.

**Bicolor Hybridus.** Double white; fine, 50 cents each.

**De la Veuve.** Single, violet-tinged white. 50 cents each.

**Pulcherrimus.** Semi-double, rosy white. Fine, 50 cents each.

**Puniceus Plenus.** Semi-double dark rose. 50 cents each.

**Souvenir de Charles Breton.** Semi-double; violet. 50 cents each.

**Totus Albus.** Large single, pure white flowers. A superior variety.

**Violacea Purpurea Fl. Pl.** Double purple.

**Mixed Colors.** 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen, **prepaid**; \$15.00 per 100.

Extra large, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100.

**AMELANCHIER Botryapium.** (III) Beautiful shrub-like tree producing racemes of pure white flowers.

**Canadensis.** (June Berry) (II) White flowers.

**AMORPHA Canescens.** (I) A free flowering shrub, dense pinnate foliage, blue flowers in terminal panicles in June. Useful for shrubberies or rockeries. Prefers a sunny and well-drained position.

**Fragrans.** (I) A large, spreading bush with pinnate leaves and slender spikes of deep purple flowers, which bloom in June after most spring flowering shrubs are over.

**AMYGDALUS (Almond).** (II) Pink flowers. Large size, 50 cents.

**White Flowering.** (II) Very fine white flowers. Large size, 60c.

**ARALIA Pentaphylla.** (III) Upright arching shrub with glossy, waxy foliage. Excellent for the shrubbery border.



Althea



Spray of Berberis Vulgaris, Showing Berries.

**Spinosa.** See Trees.

**ARONIA Floribundi.** (II) White flowers. 35c; larger, 50c.

**ARTEMISIA. Abrotanum.** (III) Beautiful green foliage and creamy-white flowers.

**AZALEA Mollis.** (Mixed Colors) (I) Various shades of red, yellow and orange. Flowers resemble those of Rhododendrons. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 each.

**AZALEA.** Evergreen kinds. See Evergreen Shrubs.

**BARBERRY.** See Berberis; see also Hedge Plants.

**BLUE SPIREA.** See Caryopteris.

**BUDDLEIA. Varibilis.** (II) September. Flowers lilac color. Very desirable owing to its lateness in flowering. 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen.

**BERBERIS Purpurea.** (III) May. Foliage dark purple. Young growths in summer crimson. Golden yellow flowers followed with bright crimson berries.

**Thunbergii.** (I) May. In autumn it is aglow with scarlet leaves and berries.

**Vulgaris.** (III) May. Yellow flowers in terminal drooping racemes followed with orange-scarlet fruit.

**Dulcis.** (I) Dwarf shrub of graceful habit. Yellow flowers; black berries.

**Illicifolia.** See Evergreen Shrubs.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen, sent **PREPAID**.

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**CALIFORNIA PRIVET.** See Ligustrum or Hedge Plants.

**CALYCANTHUS. Floridus.** (II) Double chocolate colored flowers, very fragrant.

**CARAGANA ARBORESCENS.** (III) It is thickly hung with canary-yellow, pea-shaped blossoms in late spring.

**CARYOPTERIS. Mastacanthus.** (Blue Spirea) (I) September. Blue Verbena-like flowers. A very satisfactory shrub.

**CEANOTHUS. Americanus.** (II) June. Pure white flowers.

**CEPHALANTHUS. Occidentalis.** (III) July. Curious balls of blossoms on long stems. Fine for heavy background.

**CHAMAECERASUS.** See Lonicera.

**CHIONANTHUS. Virginica.** See Rhus.

**CLETHRA. Alnitolia.** (II) (Sweet Pepper Bush) July to September. White flowers. 35 cents; extra size, 50 cents.

**COLUTEA Arborescens.** (Bladder Senna) Large shrubs of compact growth, small light green, acacia-like foliage, yellow or yellowish red pea-blossom shaped flowers in June and July, followed by reddish pods or bladders; hardy and suited to any soil.

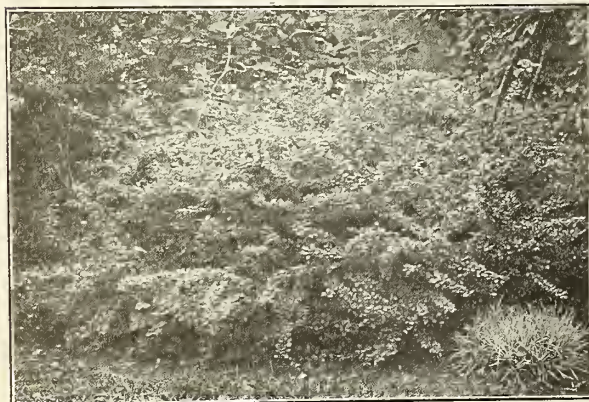
**CORYLUS Atropurpurea.** (Filbert) (II) Large purple leaves, hold their color throughout summer. 50 cents; extra large, 75 cents to \$1.00 each.

**CORCHORUS.** See Kerria.

**CORNUS.** (Dogwood) The name, Dogwood, first brings to mind the White Dogwood (Cornus Florida), with its large, butterfly-like blossoms in May, which is described under Trees. The species here described are shrubs of decided value in decorative planting, those with red bark filling a place occupied by no other.

**Sanguinea.** (III) A shrub of spreading habit; purplish red branches, flowers greenish white, followed by black berries. Desirable for massing.

**Stolonifera.** (III) Valued for its colored bark. Small white flowers.



*Berberis Thunbergii.*



*Caryopteris.*

**Siberica.** (III) This has deep crimson bark and it should be used in large groups for its winter effect. It shows off best when there are a number of plants together. Abundant clusters of small white blossoms are borne in early summer, followed by white fruit.

**FLORIDA.** See Trees.

**CORONILLA. Emerus.** (II) Large showy yellow flowers, tipped with red.

**CRATAEGUS.** See Trees.

**CYDONIA Japonica.** (Papyrus) Fire bush (4 to 5 feet). One of the early spring flowering shrubs, the fiery crimson blossoms creating a grand display. Valuable for hedging.

**Surgenti.** (I) Profuse flowering dwarf shrub. Flowers orange-scarlet, followed by fruit. 35 cents; \$3.00 per dozen. Large size, 50 cents.

**Maulei.** (I) Bright orange scarlet. 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen. Larger, 50 cents.

**Umbilicata.** (II) May. Single rose, red flowers, 50 cents.

**Japonica Rosea.** (III) May. Semi-double rose-colored flowers. 35 cents; extra large, 50 cents.

**CYTISUS Laburnum.** (Golden Chain) (III) Very large growing shrub. Yellow flowers.

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**DEUTZIAS.** (See cut) The flowers of the Deutzias are tassel-like and clustered into thick wreaths along their drooping branches. These shrubs are hardy, vigorous, adapted to all soils and remarkable for grace, beauty and prodigal bloom. The taller forms are valuable for specimens, low ones for bordering, grouping, or planting near the house. Flowering period, May, June.

**Candidissima.** (III) Strong growth. Double white flowers.

**Crenata.** (III) Exquisite flowers of double rosette shape, tinged with soft pink. A strong and vigorous growing sort.

**Fortunei.** (II) White flowers; quite distinct.

**Gracilis.** (I) Covered with snow white flowers of much beauty.

**Gracilis Carminea.** (I) Clear, rose-colored flowers; carmine underneath the petals. The best dwarf variety.

**Gracilis Rosea.** (I) Flowers like rose in clusters.

**Gracilis Venusta.** (I) Long spikes of pure white flowers of large size; the flower much resembles that of a small white Azalea. Dwarf growing varieties.

**Lemonceli.** (II) Flowers pure white, borne on stout branches, which are of upright growth.

**Lemonceli Compacta.** (I) Very compact growing variety; white flowers.

**Pride of Rochester.** (III) The flowers are double, white, tinged outside with pink, and open a week earlier than those of other sorts. One of the best.

**Scabra.** (III) Flowers white, tinged pink.

**Waterii.** (I) Flowers delicate pink.



Planting of Deutzias.

**Wellsi.** (II) Double white; fine.

**DESMODIUM Bicolor.** (III) August. Small pinkish-purple.

**Penduliflorum.** (II) September. Rosy purple flowers. Grand.

**DIERVILLA.** See Weigelia.

**DOGWOOD.** See Cornus.

**ELEAGNUS Angustifolia.** (Oleaster) (III) A large shrub, sometimes of tree form, with long, narrow, silvery green foliage. Flowers yellow, followed by yellow fruit.

**Longipes.** (III) June. Small yellow flowers followed by large oval orange-red fruit.

**ELDER.** See Sambucus.

**EUONYMUS Radicans.** See Vines.

**Americanus.** See Trees.

**EXCHORDA Grandiflora.** (Pearl Bush) (II) May. Dazzling white flowers. A most beautiful shrub.

**FILBERT.** See Corylus.

**FLOWERING CURRANT.** See Ribes.

**FORSYTHIA.** (Golden Bell) The Golden Bells stand in a class by themselves, and, with the Magnolias, are the first showy shrubs. Early in April they are a wealth of brilliant golden yellow. The foliage is entirely healthy and the growth vigorous.

**Intermedia.** (III) A tall, upright growing form. Good for shrubby border planting. Deep yellow flowers and fragrant.

**Fortunei.** (Fortune's Forsythia) (III) April. A spreading bush with dark shining foliage, which has a purplish tint in autumn. Deep yellow flowers. The best of the Forsythias.

**Fortunei Variegata.** (II) April. A very fine variety with deep green leaves, margined with golden yellow.

**Suspensa.** (II) April. A beautiful weeping form with long, pendulous branches. Golden-yellow flowers.

**Viridissima.** (III) April. Flowers bright yellow. A fine hardy shrub and one of the earliest to flower in spring.

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**GOLDEN BELL.** See Forsythia.  
**HALESIA Tetraptera.** (III) May. White, bell-shaped flowers. 50 cents.

**HAMAMELIS Virginica.** (III) Yellow flowers in fall.

**HONEYSUCKLE.** See *Lonicera*, also vines.

**HYDRANGEA Grandiflora Alba.** (II) One of the most beautiful and satisfactory shrubs in cultivation. Large clusters of white flowers. Nice young plants, 35 cents. Larger, 50 cents. Extra large, \$1.00 to \$2.00.

**Arborescens.** (I) June, July. White panicles of flowers. Our native variety.

**Paniculata Grandiflora.** (II) July, August. Flowers white changing to pink and borne in immense pyramidal clusters. Will bloom same season planted.

**TREE HYDRANGEA.** We have very fine stock of this popular shrub grown in tree form. 75 cents; extra large, \$1.00.

**HYPERICUM Moserianum.** Yellow flowers.

**KERRIA Japonica.** (II) Single yellow flowers.

**Japonica fl. pl.** (II) (Double-flowered Globe Flower) Slender green branches and pretty, closely serrated leaves. The double flowers are deep orange yellow and are produced in profusion throughout the summer months.

**Japonica Variegata.** (I) A low-growing variety, very airy and graceful, with dense, light green foliage, beautifully margined with white. Very ornamental, and one of the most valuable dwarf shrubs. Single golden yellow flowers.



Forsythia.

**Japonica Aurea.** (I) A handsome variegated leaved variety.

**LIGUSTRUM.** See Hedge Plants.

**LILAC.** See Syringa.

**LONICERA.** (Bush Honeysuckle) These are tall shrubs of upright growth, valuable for their profusion of white and pink flowers and their crops of rich red and yellow berries. They are among the most attractive of our early blooming shrubs.

**Grandiflora Rosea.** (III) Pink blossoms.

**Ledebouri.** (II) May. Creamy, yellow flowers, very fine.

**Morrowi.** (II) May. White flowers, dark green foliage, red fruit.

**Tatarica.** (III) May. Pretty pink flowers in May, and with orange-colored berries in fall.

**Tatarica Alba.** (III) May. (White Tartarian Honeysuckle) Has handsome white flowers, bright berries.

**Virginica Alba.** (III) White flowers; good for mass planting.

**MAGNOLIA.** See Trees.

**MYRICA. Cerifera.** (I) May. Beautiful green foliage, almost evergreen, reddish flowers, followed by waxy-white berries.

**PHILADELPHUS Mock Orange.** How deliciously fragrant are the spring blossoms of the Mock Orange! To many they bring pleasant thoughts of the coming flowers. A shrubby group or border is incomplete without them. Grown as specimens, they not only make a grand display at the flowering period, but continue to please with attractive foliage.

**Avalanche.** (II) Very graceful variety, white flowers.

**Coronarius.** (Sweet Mock Orange) (III) The real old-fashioned form with its pretty, fragrant white blossoms and yellow stamens, a grand variety.

**Falconeri.** (II) Graceful shrub. White flowers.

**Follis Aureis.** (Golden Mock Orange) (I) Bright golden leaves.

**Grandiflorus.** (III) The flowers of this are much larger than the others and very showy. Develops into a bushy shrub specimen.

**Lemoinei Erecta.** (II) Creamy white, fragrant.

**Lemoinei Hybrida.** (II) The branches of this variety are drooping and graceful. Flowers white and fragrant.

**Nivalis.** (II) Pure white flowers. A beautiful variety.

**Speciosa.** (III) Showy white flowers. A tall grower and one which will give satisfaction wherever planted.

**Zeyheri.** (II) June. White flowers with slight fragrance. A beautiful variety.

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**POTENTILLA, Frutescens.** (I) July. A fine, small leaved shrub of spreading habit; bright, yellow flowers.

**PRUNUS Triloba.** (Bush Form) (III) A handsome shrub or small tree covered in May with delicate, double pink flowers. 50 cents; larger, 75 cents.

**PRUNUS Pissardi.** See Trees.

**ROBINA Hispidula.** (Bush Form) (III) Beautiful and attractive bush. Clusters of pea-shaped flowers. 50 cents; larger, 75 cents. Extra large, \$1.00 each.

**RHOEOTYPHUS, Kerriodites.** (White Kerria) (II) A handsome shrub with good foliage and snow-white flowers the latter part of May, followed by black berries. A profuse bloomer.

**RHAMNUS Cathartica.** The well-known hedge plant valued for its extreme hardiness and good growth. \$15 per 100; for less quantity, see prices at bottom of page.

**Frangula.** (III) Foliage dark green. Reddish black berries in fall.

**RHUS Cotinus.** (Smoke Tree or Purple Fringe) This shrub or small tree differs widely from all others. Its beauty consists in the down masses of mist-like flowers, surrounding the seeds in mid-summer, and apparently enveloping the tree in puffs.

**Canadensis.** (Sumac) (III) A native shrub topped in autumn with crimson heads of seed.

**Chionanthus Virginica.** (White Fringe Tree) (III) Drooping white flowers.

**Copallina.** (III) Almost evergreen foliage which changes in fall to crimson.

**Glabra.** (Smooth Sumac) (III) Leaves color brightly in autumn. Flowers in July, followed by brownish-crimson fruit.

**Typhina.** (Stag Horn Sumac) (III) Scarlet heads of fruit and brilliant foliage.

**Typhina Laciniata.** (Fern-leaved Sumac) (III) Brilliant foliage. Crimson fruit.

**RIBES, Aureum.** (I) May. Fragrant yellow flowers followed by dark brown fruit.

**Gordianum.** (II) May. Yellow and crimson flowers.



**Spirea Callosa Rosea.**

**ROSA RUGOSA Japanese Rose.** (III) (See cut, rear cover.) These beautiful roses are fast becoming popular; their bright, glossy foliage, which appears to be insect-proof, together with the showy, large single flowers, which are followed by bright red fruits, making them particularly desirable plants for hedges or the shrubbery border.



**A Planting of Spirea Van Houttei.**

**ROSE OF SHARON.** See Altheas.

**Callosa Rosea.** A very handsome variety, blossoming in midsummer and autumn; clusters of beautiful rose-colored flowers. Valuable in every way.

**Callosa Rubra.** (Japanese Variety) (I) A very fine and rare variety bearing bright red flowers.

**Callosa Superba.** (I) A choice low-growing sort. Rose-colored flowers.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen, sent PREPAID.

**Billardi.** (I) A strong grower, with dull green foliage and dense panicles of bright pink flowers in July and August, with occasional blooms during the fall. A good one for mass planting.

**Callosa Froebeli.** (II) Early and very free flowering shrub. Flowers dark, violet red, very fragrant.

**Callosa Follis Variegata.** (I) Foliage variegated. Flowers pink.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 35 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100. Extra large 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**SPIREAS.** This is one of the largest groups of flowering shrubs, and it is rarely that a group is planned without including some of its widely differing forms. We have endeavored to select, among the many kinds, the few which most clearly show the different types of beauty, without confusing our customer with an unnecessarily long list of names. The flowering period is more extended than that of any other group of shrubs. Their foliage is attractive at various seasons.

**Anthony Waterer.** (I) May to September. Heads of crimson flowers.

**Bumalda.** (I) May to September. Rose-colored flowers.

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**SPIREA Fontenayii Rosea.** (II) June and July. High with slender, upright branches and pink flowers. Fine for massing.

**Fontenayii Alba.** (II) A white form of the above.

**Marguerite.** (I) A beautiful variety with deep rose-colored flowers.

**Opulifolia Aurea.** (Golden Leaved) (III) Yellow tinted foliage and white flowers.

**Paniculata Rosea.** (II) Good grower. Carmine pink flowers.

**Prunifolia.** (Bridal Wreath) (III) May. White. Double flowers along the leafless branches. 50 cents.

**Reevesiana.** (II) May. A slightly drooping shrub covered in May with clusters of white flowers almost covering the branches.

**Salicifolia Alba.** (II) June to September. Rose colored flowers. Fine.

**Semperflorens.** (I) Red flowers in corymbs. One of the best dwarf varieties.

**Sorbifolia.** (II) July. A distinct type, bearing heads of white flowers.

**Thunbergii.** (I) Fluffy masses of small white flowers. Earliest to flower.

**Tomentosa.** (II) Deep pink flowers in panicles.

**Van Houttei.** (II) The most beautiful of the Spireas. We recall no shrub that exceeds this in the graceful, elm-like quality. The graceful branches, weighted down with a wealth of white blossoms, curve till they nearly touch the ground. It comes into bloom just before Decoration Day. If we were limited to one variety, we should select this.

## SYRINGAS.

**SYRINGA Lilac.** (III) These old-fashioned shrubs are always popular, and with the present revival of the "old-fashioned garden," no collection is complete without them. No matter how small the garden, every one wants Lilacs, and everywhere in the country, be it near a roadside farm, or in the garden or shrubbery of a fine estate, one finds them adding beauty and sweetness to any surroundings. Our stock is unusually fine.

**Aiphonse Lavalle.** Double bluish flowers. 75 cents and \$1.00 each.

**Japonica.** (Japan Tree Lilac) The only tree form in the group. Exceedingly handsome when in bloom, and valuable for prolonging the Lilac season well into June. The leaves are leathery, large and dark; flower-plumes large and long, white, showy, and carried well above the foliage. Makes a good specimen. 50 cents, 75 cents, and \$1.00 each.

**Madam Abel Chatney.** Large panicles, double white, very fine. \$1.00.

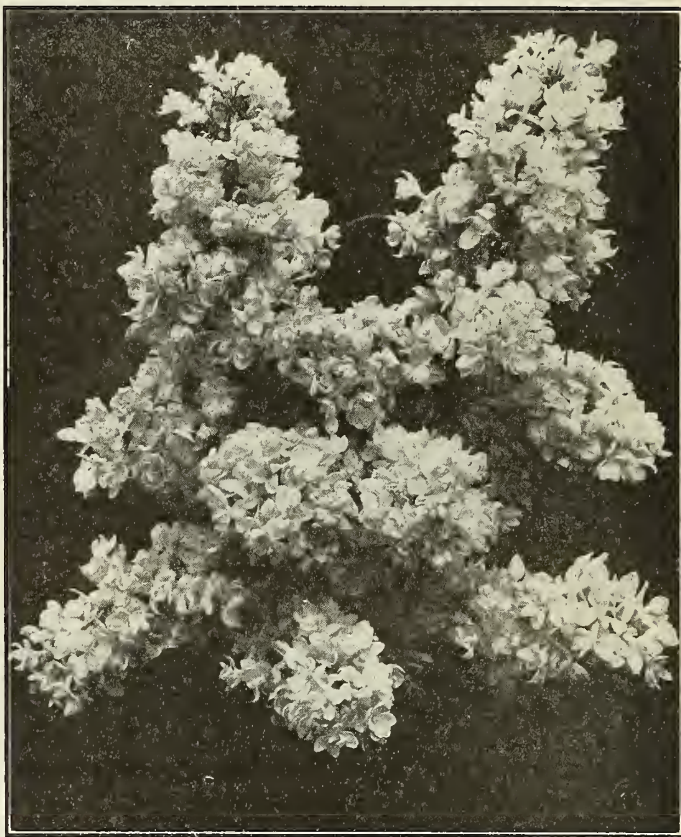
**Mme. Lemoine.** Double white flowers. A handsome variety. 50 cents, 75 cents, and \$1.00 each.

**Josikaea.** Valuable on account of late blooms. Large purple flowers. 50 cents, 75 cents, and \$1.00 each.

**Edward Andre.** Double, tender pink; fine and showy. 75 cents and \$1.00 each.

**Leon Simon.** Double bluish wall flower. 75 cents and \$1.00 each.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen, sent PREPAID.



**Syringa (Lilac).**

"When Lilacs late in the dooryard bloomed."—Walt Whitman.

**Insignis Rubra.** Buds dark red, opening into rosy purple flowers. One of the best. 75 cents and \$1.00 each.

**Sougeana.** A new sort that we obtained from France. It has showy, dark red panicles of bloom. 75 cents and \$1.00 each.

**Rubra de Marley.** Single, reddish purple. 50 cents and 75 cents each.

**Sou de Ludwig Spath.** Immense trusses of deep purple red. A distinct and beautiful variety. 50 cents and 75 cents.

**Vulgaris.** (Old-fashioned Lilac) The familiar species of all fine old gardens, with heart-shaped leaves and dense panicles of lilac flowers in May, still the most fragrant of any. Price below.

**Alba.** (Old-fashioned White Lilac) Similar to the former, with pure white, very fragrant flowers. Price below.

**SYRINGO or MOCK ORANGE.** See Philadelphus.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 35 cents, \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100. Extra heavy clumps, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.

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**SAMBUCUS Canadensis.** (White Elder) (III) Attractive flowers followed by clusters of deep purple berries.

**Lacinata.** (III) Very valuable on account of its deeply cut foliage.

**Nigra Aurca.** (Golden Elder) (III) Has bright leaves of a clear, golden-yellow.

**Nigra.** (European Elder) (III) White flowers. Black fruit.

**Racemosus.** (III) Flowers and berries in racemes. 50 cents.

**Variegata.** (III) Variegated-leaved Elder. Of strong, healthy growth; foliage mottled with yellow and white.

**SMOKE TREE.** See *Rhus cotinus*.

**SNOWBALL.** See *Viburnum*.

**SNOWBERRY.** See *Symphoricarpus*.

**STEPHENANDRA Flexuosa.** (II) June. Pure white flowers.

**STRAWBERRY TREE.** See *Euonymus* in trees.

**SYMPHORICARPUS RUBRA.** (Indian Currant)

**Symphoricarpus vulgaris.** (I) A graceful, low-growing shrub with deeply red berries clustered and crowded along its arching twigs. The branches take root where they touch the ground and therefore are useful to hold steep banks and edge groups of tall shrubs. The only shrub to grow under large tree.

**Racemosus.** (II) Milkwhite berries that contrast finely.

**TAMARIX.** Attractive tall-growing shrubs with fine, feathery foliage like that of Junipers. Splendid shrubs for general planting, for seashore planting or damp places. Flowers profusely and are usually a delicate pink color.

**Africana.** (III) June. Pinkish flowers, bluish-green leaves.

**Gallica.** (III) June. Pinkish flowers, bluish green leaves.

**Hispidula Aestivalis.** (III) July. Pink flowers. Its neat flowers and blue-green foliage are very ornamental.

**Indica.** (III) Pink flowers.

**Japonica Plumosa.** (III) Pink flowers in slender racemes.

**Odessana.** (II) Pink flowers in panicle racemes. 35 cents; larger, 50 cents.

**Tetrandra Purpurea.** (II) Beautiful pink.

**VIBURNUM.** An important group of shrubs. Members of the genus are conspicuous for the good qualities needed in landscape planting. They all have good, healthy foliage.

**Dentatum.** (III) Creamy white, flat-topped cluster flowers.



Tamarix.

**Lantana.** (III) White flowers, clusters of bright red fruit, changing to black.

**Opulus.** (Highbush Cranberry) This handsome shrub has bright red fruits; are in some sections used as a substitute for the Cranberry. It has large, healthy leaves, and free from insect attacks.

**Oxycoccus Nanus.** (I) An excellent compact growing dwarf shrub. Very desirable for low hedges, perfectly hardy.

**Plicatum.** (Japanese Snowball) (III) Large balls of flowers white as snow.

**Sterilis.** (Common Snowball) (III) Flowers white, borne in clusters.

**Tomentosum.** (III) White flowers. 25 cents; larger, 35 cents.

**Tree Snowball.** This is the well known snowball grown in tree form. We have a nice stock of plants 4 to 5 feet in height with two-year-old heads. These we can recommend as something very choice. Price, \$1.00 each; extra large, \$2.00.



Viburnum.

**Price** Of all above varieties, except where noted, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen, sent PREPAID.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 35 cents, \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100. Extra heavy plants, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.

Read Carefully the Information on Pages 1 and 2





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**VITEX Agnus-Castus.** The dark green foliage is star-shaped and pretty. Flowers in racemes of lavender blue in August and September when few other shrubs are in bloom.

**WEIGELIAS.** Beautiful shrubs that bloom in June and July. The flowers are produced in so great profusion as almost entirely to hide the foliage.

**Amabilis.** (I) May or June. Delicate pink flowers.

**Candida.** (III) Flowers pure white, borne all through the summer months. One of the most free blooming of all Weigelias.

**Eva Rathka.** A very profuse bloomer and continues to produce its dark carmine red flowers during the entire summer. 35 cents; larger, 50 cents.

**Gustave Mallet.** (II) Flowers deep rose, of erect, compact habit.

**Hendersoni.** (II) An excellent variety with dark red flowers; very fine.

**Nana Variegata.** (I) May. Pink flowers and variegated green and yellow foliage.

**Desbousil.** (II) Deep rose flowers in profusion.

**Venosa.** (II) An elegant shrub, producing pink flowers.

**Stelznerii.** (III) May. Dark red flowers; a very strong grower.

**Van Houttei.** (II) May. Clear carmine flowers.

**Price** Of all above varieties except where noted, 25 cents each. \$2.50 per dozen, sent PREPAID.

**Price** Of above varieties in large size plants, 35 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100. Extra large plants, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.



Vitex.

## Ornamental Hedge Plants

Every owner of property, whether a large estate or a small city lot, wishes to have the surroundings of the home look beautiful. In producing a truly pleasing and attractive landscape effect the selection of a fence has always been a serious problem. Something is needed to outline the lawn clearly, but what to use is often a perplexing question. How easy this difficulty is solved when we consider the hedge. Nothing is better suited for the purpose and more desirable. A hedge will beautify the plainest kind of grounds and add immeasurably to the original attractiveness of grounds already beautiful. Contrast in your mind the wooden or iron fence with a fence that nature provides. The former is clumsy and contrasts rudely, while the hedge blends beautifully with the green lawn and surroundings. Hedges used for the purpose of seclusion and also screening undesirable objects should consist of tall growing varieties of shrubs and irregularly arranged. If space will permit plant a hardy border, using an assortment of varieties. At the bottom of page 19 we give a list of those varieties that are suited for the various purposes.



Hedges are More Desirable Than Fences.

the ground. Varieties used for hedges of light growth should not be pruned back so severely. In the case of evergreens, such as Arbor Vitae, these when first planted out, need only be pruned enough to put them in uniform shape. After the hedge has become established it will be necessary to do a certain amount of pruning from year to year. Those of a formal character will require severe pruning to keep them in their required shape and of a desired height to suit the requirements of the place. Varieties such as Berberis Thunbergii only require the cutting away of the irregular growth. The above comprises a few of the first essentials of success in forming a good hedge.

To make a satisfactory hedge the ground should be well prepared before planting. If the soil is of poor quality, a trench should be dug 15 to 18 inches wide, and 18 inches in depth, filling this in with good, rich soil. This will insure rapid and strong root growth, which will well repay for the time and trouble.

### PRUNING AND CARE OF HEDGES.

To secure a compact hedge and one of even growth, it is necessary, when the plants are first set out to prune back quite severely to an even height. This will encourage strong bottom growth and makes the foundation of a good hedge.

As an illustration: If you wish to plant a hedge of privet and receive plants from a nursery 18 to 24 inches in height, after these have been planted they should be pruned back within 9 to 12 inches of



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**LIGUSTRUM (Privet)** The most popular and satisfactory of all hedge plants, as the hardy varieties can be planted in the extreme Northern States with perfect safety. With Privet you can have a hedge of any height or shape desired, as they stand shearing well.

**Amurense. (Amoor Privet)** Glossy green foliage and hardy in all localities, nice plants, \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.00 per 100. Extra large size, \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100.

**Media.** A very hardy variety, covered with berries during the fall and winter. Nice plants, \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.00 per 100. Larger, \$2.00 per dozen; \$12 per 100.

**Ibota. (Chinese Privet)** A fine and hardy variety having very fragrant flowers. Nice plants, \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100. Larger, \$2.00 per dozen, \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy plants, \$3.00 per dozen; \$20.00 per 100.

**Ovalifolium. (California Privet)** The most popular variety, has very fine foliage and is nearly evergreen. Not hardy in the extreme Northern States. Nice plants, \$1.00 per dozen; \$5.00 per 100. Larger plants, \$1.50 per dozen; \$7.50 per 100. Extra heavy plants, \$2.00 per dozen, \$10.00 per 100.

**Regelianum. (Regel's Privet)** Absolutely hardy, and is sufficiently dense for hedge purposes even without trimming. Nice plants, \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100; Large size plants, \$2.50 per dozen; \$18.00 per 100.

**Sinensis Nana.** A very graceful variety that will give a particularly pleasing effect. Excellent for southern gardens. Takes the place of boxwood. Not quite hardy in extreme Northern States. \$2.00 per dozen; \$12.00 per 100. Extra large, \$3.00 per dozen; \$20.00 per 100.

**Vulgaris. (English Privet)** A desirable hardy hedge plant which is covered in fall with waxy berries. Nice plants, \$1.50 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100. Extra large size, \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100.

**ALTHEA. (Hibiscus, Rose of Sharon)** These desirable shrubs make a most satisfactory hedge plant, particularly where one of tall upright growth is desired. They not only have good green foliage, but produce a profusion of blossoms in late summer and fall. Mixed colors. Nice plants, \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Larger \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100. Extra heavy plants, \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.

**BERBERIS Thunbergii.** A beautiful low-growing shrub, covered with red berries nearly all winter. \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Larger, \$3.00 per dozen; \$20.00 per 100.



California Privet Hedge. Trees are Catalpa Bungei.

**ROSA RUGOSA Japanese Rose. (III)** (See colored illustration, rear cover.) These beautiful roses are fast becoming popular as hedge plants, their bright, glossy foliage, which appears to be insect-proof, together with the showy, large single flowers, which are followed by bright red fruits, making them particularly desirable plants for hedges on the shrubby border. \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Large size, \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100. Extra heavy, \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.

**RHAMNUS Cathartica.** A desirable hedge plant of rather coarse growth. Extensively used on account of its extreme hardiness. Nice plants, \$2.00 per dozen; \$12.00 per 100. Larger size, \$3.00 per dozen; \$20.00 per 100. Extra heavy plants, \$4.00 per dozen; \$30.00 per 100.

### Evergreens

**THUYA Arbor Vitae.** Nice young plants, \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Bushy plants, 2 feet high, \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100. Heavy, 2½ to 3 feet plants, \$7.50 per dozen; \$50.00 per 100.

**PICEA Excelsa. (Norway Spruce)** Nice young plants, 15 to 18 inches high, \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. 18 to 24 inches, \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.

**TSUGA Canadensis. (Hemlock Spruce)** Nice plants, 18 to 24 inches high, \$7.50 per dozen; \$50.00 per 100.

**BUSH BOX.** Nice plants, 8 to 10 inches, \$2.50 per dozen; \$18.00 per 100. Heavy plants, 12 to 15 inches, \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100. For other sizes, see other part of catalogue.

For larger size Evergreens, see other list.

### OTHER SUITABLE SHRUBS.

Altheas, Amorpha, Berberis, Calycanthus, Caragana, Cephalanthus, Cornus, Cydonia, Desmodium, Dentzias, Eleagnus, Forsythias, Philadelphus, Rhus, Sambucus, Spirea, Symphoricarpos, Syringas, Tamarix, Viburnums, Weigelas.

For description and prices of above varieties, see other parts of catalogue.



A Hedge of Flowering Shrubs.





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## Fruit Department

No home grounds are complete without at least a few fruit trees. Nothing is more beautiful in early spring than a fruit tree in full bloom, besides the great satisfaction derived from picking fine, ripe fruit from trees in your own yard. All of the stock offered below is the very choicest.



### APPLES—Early Varieties.

**Early Harvest**—Medium, pale yellow, tender, juicy.

**Yellow Transparent**—Earliest and best; white, tender, juicy, sprightly, sub-acid.

**Red Astrachan**—Large, beautiful, deep crimson; good cooker.

### APPLES—Late Varieties.

**Ben Davis**—Large, handsome, striped, valuable.

**Baldwin**—Large, bright red, crisp, juicy, rich.

**Bismarck**—Handsome, yellow, sometimes shaded red; red cheek.

**Golden Russet**—Medium, dull russet, crisp, juicy.

**Northwestern Greening**—Hardy, yellow, rich, of good size, extra long keeper.

**Rome Beauty**—Large, yellow, shaded red; tender, juicy, sub-acid.

**Wagner**—Good size, deep red in the sun; flesh firm, sub-acid, excellent.

**White Pippin**—Large, yellow, tender, sub-acid; good grower and keeper.

All varieties, 40 cents; \$1.00 per dozen; larger size, 60 cents; \$6.00 per dozen.

### CRAB APPLES

**Hyslop**—Large, deep crimson; one of the most beautiful of Crabs; very popular.

**Transcendent**—Immensely productive, bright red, one of the most popular.

All varieties, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100; larger size, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

### PEARS—Early Varieties

**Bartlett**—Large, buttery, juicy, high-flavored, great bearer; very popular.

**Clapp's Favorite**—Very large, yellow and dull red, with russet specks, melting, rich.

### PEARS—Late Varieties

**Flemish Beauty**—Large, juicy, rich; one of the hardiest.

**Keiffer**—Its large size and handsome appearance make it exceedingly profitable for market.

**Worden-Seckel**—(New.) Very fine and productive.

All varieties, 40 cents; \$4.00 per dozen; larger size, 60 cents; \$6.00 per dozen.

### CHERRIES.

**Baldwin**—Large, round, slightly sub-acid, sweet and rich.

**Early Richmond**—Medium, dark red, melting, juicy, sprightly, rich acid.

**English Morello**—Fair size, blackish red, rich acid, juicy, good.

**Montmorency**—Large, red, productive, ten days later than Early Richmond.

**May Duke**—Large, red, juicy, rich. Very fine.

**Napoleon**—Large, pale yellow or red; firm, juicy, sweet and productive.

**Windsor**—Fruit large, remarkably firm and of fine quality. A late variety.

All varieties, 40 cents; \$4.00 per dozen; larger size, 60 cents; \$6.00 per dozen.

### PLUMS

**Diamond**—A large, magnificent plum. Dark purple; beautiful bloom.

**Lombard**—Medium, violet red, juicy, good, hardy, and productive.

**Abundance**—Fruit large, lemon yellow, with heavy bloom; good quality.

**Burbank**—The best and most profitable for market.

All varieties, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.

### PEACHES

**Crawford's Early**—A magnificent large yellow peach of good quality.

**Elberta**—Large, yellow, with red cheek; flesh yellow, firm, juicy.

**Lemon Free**—Lemon shaped and color, larger size.

All varieties, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Larger size, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100.

### GRAPES

**Concord**—The well known standard variety, succeeds wherever grapes will grow.

**Early Ohio**—Very early, hardy, and productive.

**Wilden**—Bunch and berry very large and round.

**Worden**—A splendid grape. Vine vigorous; hardy and productive.

**Catawba**—Berries large, round; when fully ripe of a dark, copper color.

**Diamond**—The leading early white grape. White, with rich, yellow tinge.

All varieties, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100.

### BLACKBERRIES.

**Eldorado**—Fine, large clusters. Very hardy.

**Rathbun**—A very fine, large variety.

Both varieties, 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.

### RASPBERRIES

**Cumberland**—The best black.

**King**—The best red.

**Golden Queen**—The best white.

All varieties, 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

### DEWBERRIES

**Lucretia**—The largest and best variety.

10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

### CURRANT

**Black Champion**—Very productive, large bunch and berry, excellent quality.

**White Grape**—Yellowish white; excellent quality for the table.

**Wilden**—Fine and very productive.

All varieties, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.

### GOOSEBERRIES

**Downing**—Large, handsome, pale green and of splendid quality.

15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.

### STRAWBERRIES

**Senator Dunlap**—The best grower and free bearing. 50 cents per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

### FOUR CHOICE HARDY VEGETABLES

The supplying of seed, etc., for the vegetable garden we leave to the specialist in that line. But being advocates of hardy plants as well as recognizing the decorative value in the fine foliage of the Asparagus and Rhubarb which follows the family supply of these choice vegetables during the early month, we recommend giving place in every yard to these few vegetables. They require no care nor attention whatever after once established.

**RHUBARB Linnaeus (or Pie Plant)**. Large, early, tender and fine. The very best of all, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Hobdags Giant**. Extraordinary large and of excellent flavor. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

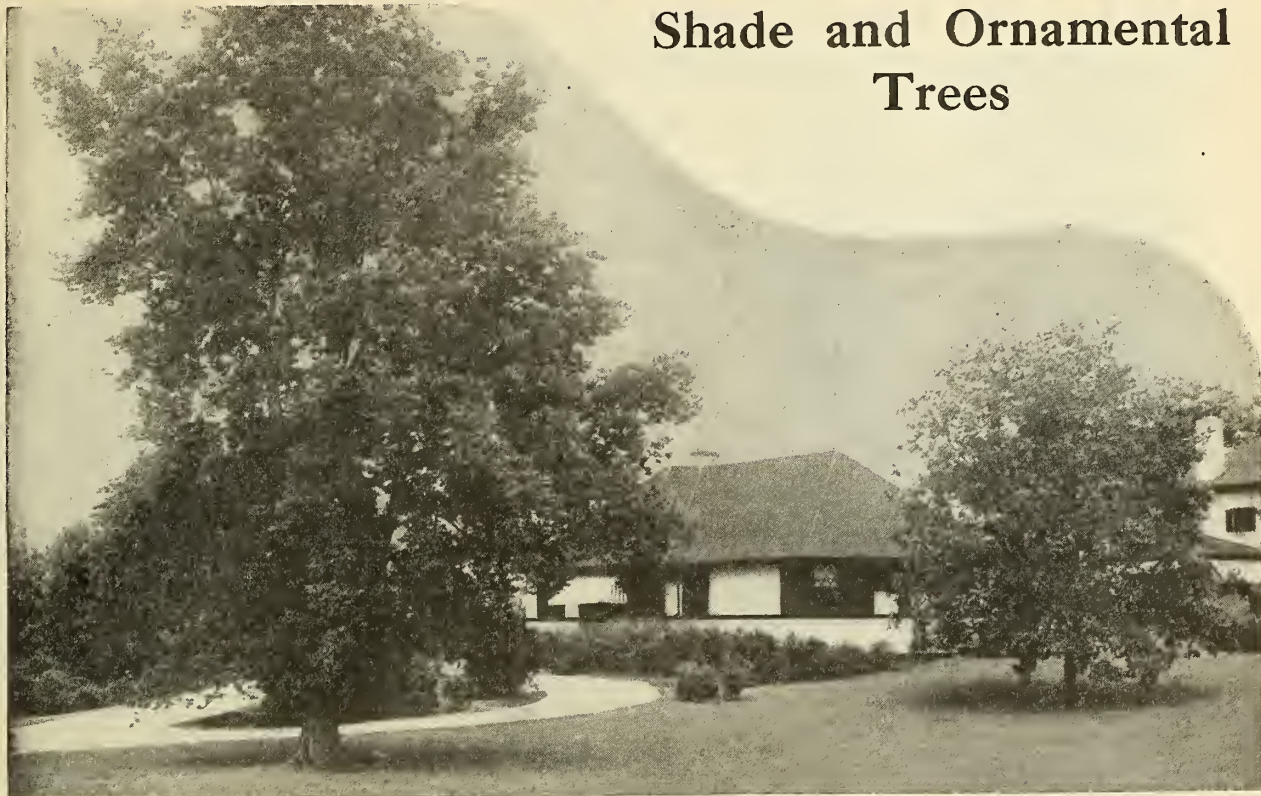
**ASPARAGUS**. Conover's Colossal. A standard variety of large size, tender and excellent quality. Good, strong roots, 25 cents per dozen; \$1.50 per 100.

**Mammoth White**. Strong, vigorous growth, producing very large, white shoots. 25 cents per dozen; \$1.50 per 100.



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## Shade and Ornamental Trees



Showing a Good Arrangement for Planting Trees on the Lawn.

Judicious planting of ornamental trees and shrubs enhances the value of real estate more than an equal amount of money invested in any other way.

Our complete list of shade and ornamental trees comprises nearly three hundred varieties, but have taken extra precaution in the list here, selecting only such kinds as possess distinctive and decorative merit, all of which are suitable for lawn, park, or avenue planting.

### Trees for Special Positions

We classify these that our customers may select trees especially suited to their position and needs. Those varieties not classified may be used in general planting, hardy borders, etc. All varieties we list possess some distinction and merit.

**VARIETIES FOR LAWN SPECIMENS.** Acer Platanoides, Dasycarpum, Wieri Laciniata, Pseudo Platanus, Reitenbachii, Schwedleri and Negundo; Aesculus Hippocastanum and Rubicunda; Betula Alba; Cornus Florida; Catalpa Speciosa; Fagus Sylvatica, Sylvatica Purpurea; Latifolia and Sylvatica Purpurea; Liquidamber; Liriodendron; Platanus Orientalis, Occidentalis; Salisburia; Tilia Europea Americana and Ulmus Americana.

**VARIETIES FOR STREET AND AVENUE PLANTING.** Acer Platanoides, Dasycarpum, Pseudo Platanus, Schwedleri and Negundo; Catalpa Speciosa; Larix Europea; Liquidamber; Platanus Orientalis and Occidentalis; Populus Deltoides; Quercus Palustris; Tilia Americana and European; Ulmus Americana.

**VARIETIES FOR SMOKY, CONGESTED CITY STREETS,** which demand a sturdy, robust tree. Acer Platanoides; Allanthus; Catalpa Speciosa; Gymocladus; Populus Carolina; Platanus Occidentalis and Orientalis; Salisburia; Ulmus Americana.

**VARIETIES PRODUCING FLOWERS.** Nothing is more attractive than a group of flowering trees. See description and color on the following pages. Aesculus; Aralia; Cercis; Cerasus; Crataegus; Cornus; Catalpa Speciosa; Koelreuteria; Liriodendron; Magnolias; Persica; Pyrus; Prunus Trilboia; Robina; Sophora; Sorbus Aucuparia.

Have your ground ready to plant upon arrival of trees if possible. If, however, impossible to do this, unpack and heel in, that is, dig a trench and cover the roots with fine soil, pressing it down firmly that there are no air spaces to the roots, and if soil is very dry, give a watering. Make preparation to plant in their permanent place at the earliest date possible after receiving them. If shipment should arrive in a frozen condition do not unpack, but put in a cool place, free from frost, until perfectly thawed, when they may be unpacked and planted.

In planting, make the hole wide enough so that when the tree is set out, you can spread out the roots, always avoiding as much as possible twisting and crowding the roots. Work the soil in carefully about the roots, leaving no cavities or air spaces, and pack the soil firmly.





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**SPECIAL NOTICE.**—In addition to the regular sizes listed, we have a lot of extra choice specimens which price varies according to variety and size, \$5.00 to \$25.00 each.

**ACER Dasyacarpum.** (Silver Maple) There is more foliage for the cost in this Maple than in any other tree. It is the best of the quick-growing trees for most soils and situations. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00; specimens, \$2.00 to \$5.00.

**Negundo.** (Ash-leaved Maple or Box Elder) A handsome tree. \$1.00; larger, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

**Platanoides.** (Norway Maple) Deep green leaves. One of the best. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00; extra size, \$2.50 to \$5.00.

**Pseudo Platanus.** (Sycamore-leaved Maple) Foliage deep green on upper surface and purplish red underneath. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**Reitenbachii.** A beautiful and striking variety because of its rich, changing foliage; decidedly purple, \$1.00; larger, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

**Rubrum.** (Red or Scarlet Maple) Foliage bright scarlet in autumn. 75 cents to \$1.50.

**Saccharum.** (Sugar Maple) Used for shade on lawn or park plantings. \$1.00; larger, \$2.00 to \$5.00.

**Schwedleri.** (Purple-leaved Maple) Leaves bright purplish crimson which changes to purplish green. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$3.00.

**Wieri Laciniatum.** (Wier's Cut-leaved Maple) A very beautiful specimen tree, with delicately cut leaves and distinct, half-drooping habit. The leader grows rapidly upright, the slender lateral branches curve gracefully downward. Of noble proportions when undisturbed, yet patient under considerable pruning. Nice trees, 50 cents; larger, 75 cents to \$1.00. Extra large, \$2.00 to \$5.00 each.

**ÆSCULUS Hippocastanum.** (Horse Chestnut) Double white flowered. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$3.00.

**Rubicunda.** Red flowered. One of the finest trees. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

**AILANTHUS.** (Tree of Heaven) An extremely rapid grower with palm-like leaves. Thrives in city lots, exposed to gas and smoke, and in soils where most other trees perish. \$1.00; extra large, \$1.50 to \$2.50.

**ALNUS Glutinosa.** (European, or Common Alder) Foliage roundish, wedge-shaped, wavy. Remarkably quick in growth. 75 cents, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

**ARALIA Spinosa.** (Hercules' Club) A showy native, with broad, handsomely cut leaves and huge clusters of small white flowers in July. Its winter effect is unique and handsome. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50. Extra large, \$2.00 each.

**Mandchuricus.** Tropical like foliage. 75 cents, larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50. Extra large, \$2.00.

**BETULA Alba.** (European White Birch) 35 to 40 feet. Of rapid growth, attractive foliage, and beautiful silvery-white bark. Droops just a little. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00. Extra large, \$1.50 to \$3.00.

**Alba Lacinata Pendula.** (Cut-leaved Weeping Birch) A pyramidal tree with pendulous branches and deeply cut foliage. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**Pyramidalis.** Columnar habit, similar to the Lombardy Poplar. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

**CATALPA. Bungei.** (Umbrella Tree) (See cut) A small species, forming a tree clothed with a dense mass of large, heart-shaped leaves; flourishes in all soils. It is grafted on a stock of one of the tree species 5 to 8 feet high. It makes a handsome standard tree, very dense, symmetrical head. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00. Specimens, \$3.00 to \$5.00.

**Spectiosa.** One of the most rapid growers. Large panicles of white flowers; very ornamental. 75 cents; large size, \$1.00 to \$2.00. Extra heavy, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

**CERASUS. Padus.** (European Bird Cherry) Pure white flowers followed by black fruit. 75 cents to \$1.00.

larger, \$1.50 to \$3.00.

**CERASUS Rosea Pendula.** (Weeping Cherry) Japanese variety. Rose-pink. \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**Sinensis Flore Plena.** (Chinese Double-flowered Cherry) An excellent sort, with large, double-white flowers. \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**CERCIS.** (Judas Tree) (Red Bud) Reddish-purple flowers. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

**CORNUS. Florida.** (White Dogwood) Deep crimson autumnal colored leaves. \$1; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**Rubra.** Flower deep pink. \$2.00.

**CRATEGUS Coccinea. Fl. Pl.** (Paul's Double Scarlet. Fine double crimson flowers. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$3.00.

**Oxyantha, Alba Flore pleno.** (Double White Hawthorn) When in bloom, a mass of clustered double, rose-like white blossoms. This is the famous May Thorn of English gardens; spreading branches and stout spines. Very handsome. Nice trees, 50 cents to 75 cents; larger, \$1.00. Extra size, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**CYPRESS.** Deciduous, see Taxodium.



A Specimen Maple. (Acer.)



Catalpa Bungei (Umbrella Tree). Excellent for Formal Effects.



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**EUONYMUS Europaeus.** A small tree of vigorous growth. Foliage is broad and deep green, turning to crimson in the fall. The flowers are followed by orange-scarlet fruits. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

**FAGUS.** (Beech) **Asplenifolia, Heterophylla.** (Fern-leaved Beech) Leaves deeply divided. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00 to \$2.50.

**Purpurea Pendula.** (Weeping Purple Beech) Beautiful purple foliage. \$2.50 to \$3.50.

**Riversi.** (River's Purple Beech) Leaves very dark purple. Nice trees, 75 cents to \$1.00; larger, \$1.50. Extra large, \$2.50 to \$5.00.

**Sylvatica.** (European Beech) A compact, long-lived tree having dense, dark green foliage. \$1.00; larger, \$2.00. Extra large, \$3.50 to \$5.00.

**GLEDITSCHIA. Tricanthos.** (Honey Locust) A large, vigorous tree, with wide-spreading branches, feathery fern-like leaves, and a stout armament of thorns. Makes a fine defensive hedge. Bears long, pendent seed-pods, slightly twisted, with contents of a sweetish, flavor. 50 cents; larger, 75 cents to \$1.00. Extra size; \$1.50.

**GYMNOCLADUS. Canadensis.** (Kentucky Coffee Tree) Feathery foliage. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.

**HYDRANGEA TREE.** We have a very fine stock of this popular shrub grown in tree form. These make very beautiful trees for the lawn. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00.

**JUGLANS. Sieboldiana.** (Japanese Walnut) Perfectly hardy, very ornamental. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.

**KOELREUTERIA. Paniculata.** (Japanese Varnish Tree) Small attractive tree, covered with yellow flowers. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**PRUNUS Pissardi.** (Purple-leaved Plum) A distinct and handsome little tree, rarely over 20 feet high, covered with a mass of small, white, single flowers in spring, later with showy, reddish purple leaves that deepen in color to the end of the season. Valuable for ornamental hedges or planting in quantity for contrast. It is perfectly hardy, and is a unique and beautiful ornament to the lawn at all times of the year. One of the most valuable of the flowering trees. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00; extra large, \$1.50 to \$3.00 each.

**LARIX. Europea.** (Larch) A conifer with deciduous needle-like foliage. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

**LIQUIDAMBAR.** (Sweet Gum) Glossy green foliage changing to bright red. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.

**LIRIODENDRON.** (Tulip Tree) Foliage dark green; creamy yellow flowers. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.

**MAGNOLIA. Acuminata.** Cucumber Tree. Fruit cones, cucumber shape, turning crimson. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.

**Alexandrina.** Purplish rose and white. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

**Lenni.** Color, dark rose, center pearly white. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00 to \$4.00.

**Sonlangeana.** Flowers large white tinged purple. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.50. Extra large, \$3.50 to \$5.00.

**Speciosa.** White tinged pink. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00 to \$4.00.

**Stellata.** Semi-double white star-like flowers. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

**MORUS Alba Tartarica.** (Russian Mulberry) A very hardy and low growing type. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

**Pendula.** (Weeping Mulberry) Umbrella shaped head, long drooping branches. \$1.50 and \$2.00.

**PAULOWNIA Imperialis.** (Empress Tree) Tropical foliage. In the north plant where protected. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.

**PERSICA. Rose Plena.** (Flowering Peach) Beautiful double pink flowers. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**PLATANUS. Orientalis.** (Oriental Plane) (Sycamore) One of the oldest and best trees for street and avenue planting. It grows rapidly to grand size, is bold, picturesque, hardy, healthy, free from insects, vigorous in all soils. A lofty, wide-spreading tree, with large, leathery, clear-cut leaves that turn yellow in fall. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**Occidentalis.** (American Plane) Broad-spreading, round-topped, massive, and picturesque. Very effective in winter when its branches show almost as white as a birch, and its mottled trunk of gray, green, and brown is revealed. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.

**POPULUS. Alba Boileana.** Similar to the well-known Lombardy Poplar in habit, but broader, and, like it, useful in breaking the monotony of lower round-topped trees. Its leaves are glossy green above, silvery beneath. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50. Extra large, \$2.00 to \$3.50 each.

**Nigra, or Italica.** (P. fastigiata) (Lombardy, or Italian Poplar) Of obelisk form, growing rapidly to a tall spire. Forms striking lawn groups, and is much used for tall screens. Always makes a striking feature in any landscape. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50. Extra large, \$2.00 to \$3.50 each.

**Monilifera.** (Carolina Poplar) Unexcelled for quick growth and effect, its rapid growth giving an air of luxuriance to places where other trees appear starved. Showy and cheery from the constant movement of its glossy, silver-lined leaves, yet always casting a dense, cool shade. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00. Extra large, \$1.50 to \$3.00 each.



**Populus Nigra (Lombardy Poplar).**



**Populus Monilifera.**  
(Carolina Poplar.)





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Shade and Ornamental Trees

- PTELIA Trifoliata.** (Hop Tree) (D) A round-headed, loosely-branched tree, with glossy green foliage; adorned in the fall with numerous clusters of light green fruit-pods. Prefers a shaded position and moist soil. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00.
- Trifoliata Aurea.** (Golden Hop Tree) Showy golden yellow foliage, retaining its color all summer. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.
- PYRUS Augustifolia.** (Bechtel's Flowering Crab) Double rose-like flowers of a delicate pink color. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00.
- Floribunda.** (Flowering Crab) A large shrub or small tree, with rose-red flowers borne in great profusion in May. The fruit is red and very small, on long stems. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00. Extra large, \$1.50 to \$2.00.
- Parkmani.** (Parkman's Double-flowering Crab) An elegant Japanese variety with long-stemmed, semi-double flowers of deep rose color. 75 cents; larger \$1.00. Extra large, \$1.50 to \$2.00.
- QUERCUS. Cocinea.** (Scarlet Oak) Foliage purplish crimson in autumn \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$3.00.
- Palustris.** (Pin Oak) The most beautiful of all oaks. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$3.00.
- Robur.** (English Oak) Massive, spreading stature. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00.
- Rubra.** (Red Oak) Foliage changes to bronze red in autumn. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.
- ROBINIA Hispida.** A small tree with clusters of pea-shaped flowers. Color, rose pink. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00. Can also supply these in bush form, 50 cents to 75 cents each.
- Pseudacacia.** (Black Locust) A familiar tree of rapid growth, that thrives in any place. The pinnate foliage is light and airy. In June the tree is fragrant with panicles of white flowers, and very ornamental. Its growth is rapid. Nice trees, 50 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50.
- SALISBURIA Adiantifolia.** (Ginkgo or Maiden Hair Tree) Fern-like foliage, resembling Maiden Hair Fern. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00.
- SALIX.** (Willows) This species of trees do best planted in low moist soils, along the banks of streams or ponds, and where low branching trees are desirable. We offer the following varieties in bushy plants branched from the ground. We can supply most varieties in standard or tree form if desired.

- SALIX Babylonica.** Branches drooping gracefully. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50.
- Caprea Pendula.** (Kilmarnock Weeping Willow) Beautiful. Standards only with large heads. Very effective. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00.
- Dolobrosa.** Foliage glaucous underneath. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50.
- Elegantissima.** Similar to Babylonica, but more upright. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.
- Lutea.** Clean golden bark, light green foliage. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50.
- Pentandra.** (Laurel-leaved Willow) Dark green, glossy leaves. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$2.00.
- Purpurea Pendula.** (New American Willow) A graceful variety with slender, drooping branches and silvery gray leaves. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 and \$2.00.
- Rosmarinifolia.** (Rosemary Willow) Round head, small silvery foliage. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.
- Vitellina Aurea.** Highly effective, with its golden bark. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50.
- SORBUS Acuparia.** (European Mountain Ash) Orange-colored berries mid-summer till frost. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.
- Acuparia Pendula.** (Weeping Mountain Ash) Slender, drooping branches and bright red berries. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$5.00.
- SOPHORA Japonica.** (Japan Pagoda Tree) Small, shining leaves. Clusters snowy-white flowers. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00.
- Japonica Pendula.** (Weeping Sophora) Long, drooping branches. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00.
- TAXODIUM. Deciduous Cypress Distichum.** The famous Southern or Bald Cypress is perfectly hardy, even in the North, and grows well on dry or wet soil. It is a most beautiful and stately tree, pyramidal in shape, with light and fleecy foliage of delicate green. Nice trees, \$1.00; larger, \$1.50. Extra large, \$2.00 to \$3.00.
- Distichum Pendula.** (Weeping Cypress) Gracefully drooping branches. \$2.00; larger, \$3.00. Extra large specimens, \$5.00.
- TILIA. (Linden) Americana.** Splendid form, large stature, \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.
- European.** A little more compact than the American species. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.
- ULMUS Americana.** (Elm) No finer tree grown. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$1.50. Extra size, \$2.00 to \$5.00.
- Canpestris.** (English Elm) Very desirable for lawn or landscape. \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00.
- Scabra Pendula.** (Camperdown Weeping Elm) A picturesque form. \$2.00. Extra size, \$3.00.

## Japanese Maples

The most beautiful of small trees, being of bush form and very graceful. Their delicately cut leaves and vivid coloring make them general favorites. They ought to be planted in the foreground of taller trees or shrubbery.

**Polymorphum.** Bright green, dense foliage. Nice plants, \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00; specimens, \$2.50 to \$5.00 each.

**Polymorphum Atropurpureum.** (Blood-red) Very showy during the entire summer. Nice plants, \$1.00 each; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00; fine specimens, \$2.50 to \$5.00 each.

**Dissectum.** (Cut-leaved) Leaves divided and of a rich green. 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$2.00; specimens, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

**Dissectum Purpureum.** (Cut-leaved Purple Maple) Beautiful, slender, and gracefully drooping branches. Reddish in color and very attractive, \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00; fine specimens, \$3.00 to \$5.00 each.



A Group Planting of Japanese Maples.



# Wagner Park Flowers

## Hardy Ornamental Evergreens--Conifers



**PINES, SPRUCE, HEMLOCK, ARBOR VITAE**, more than two hundred varieties of evergreens and conifers, vie with thousands of deciduous trees and shrubs in their display of beauty at Wagner Park Arboretum, the home of the finest collection of arboreal treasures in the country. It is frequently a surprise to visitors to see the great assortment of evergreens and the fine specimens we have. The illustration shows a section of Evergreens in our Arboretum.

Our Soil is Especially Adapted to Digging Our Plants With a Ball of Earth, Thus Assuring Successful Transplanting.

From out the thousands of specimens of all sizes and shapes that adorn the landscape at Wagner Park, there can easily be selected trees, bushes, and shrubbery that will furnish the desired background for any home, park, or public ground. The prices are altogether moderate.

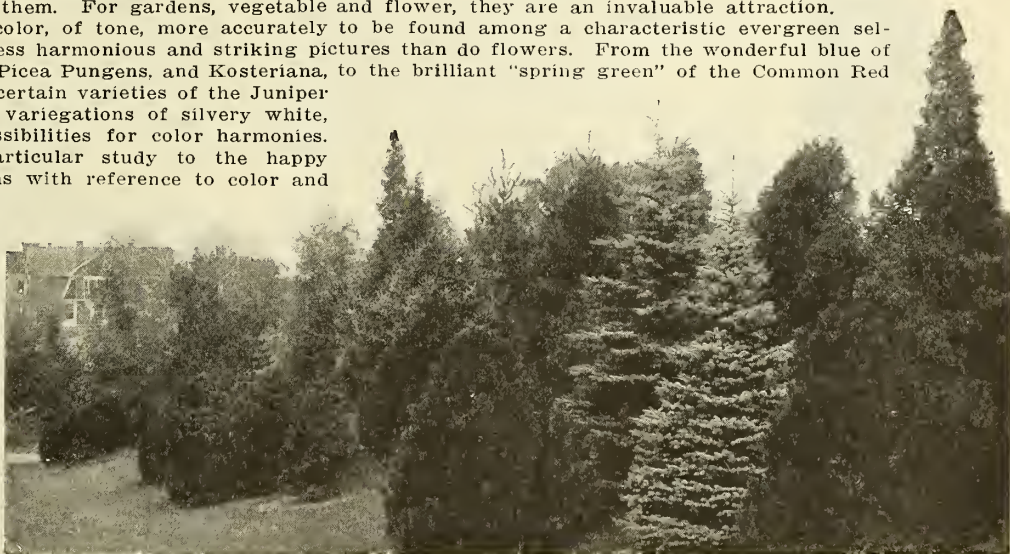
For those who cannot personally visit Wagner Park and see the glorious profusion of foliage, the inexhaustible variety of color tones, the graduations of shade between the dark greens of some varieties and the bluish tints of other species of evergreens, the service of our Landscape Artists will prove especially helpful. We can select trees and shrubs, conifers and deciduous plants that will answer all the utilitarian purposes of windbreaks, border planting, shade production, and screens for unsightly vistas, no less than those purely aesthetic considerations of garden, lawn, and terrace adornment.

For an evergreen group surrounding a house the plants that submit to severe clipping have made themselves perhaps the favorite—*Retinosporas*, *Juniperus*, *Thuyas*, for example. Symmetrical conifers delight the architects by their effective "horizontalism," Nature's expressions of the builder's principle.

Evergreen hedges are becoming more and more features of the well laid out home. The smallest place is improved by them. For gardens, vegetable and flower, they are an invaluable attraction.

The varieties of color, of tone, more accurately to be found among a characteristic evergreen selection, permit of no less harmonious and striking pictures than do flowers. From the wonderful blue of the Colorado Spruce, *Picea Pungens*, and *Kosteriana*, to the brilliant "spring green" of the Common Red Cedar, *Virginiana*, or certain varieties of the *Juniper* in which appear odd variegations of silvery white, there are endless possibilities for color harmonies. We have devoted particular study to the happy blending of evergreens with reference to color and shape and we place our experience and knowledge at the disposal of our patrons.

Wagner Park Evergreens have been several times transplanted. They are shipped to you in ball, with an abundance of roots, carefully burlapped. Spring and early fall are the best times to plant, though Wagner Evergreens planted in the mid-summer and winter months have done splendidly.



Such an arrangement and planting of Evergreens show their individual charms most effectively. Note the contrast of the "Kosters Blue Spruce" against the green.



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The soil at Wagner Park Evergreen Nurseries is admirably adapted to the vigorous development of fibrous roots. This enables us to "lift" each plant "in ball," or with the soil protecting its roots intact. Wagner Park Evergreens, if intelligently planted in their new location, and properly sprayed and root-soaked during the hot months, grow almost as if they had never moved.

Quality is represented by the bushiness of the plant, and this is only accomplished where frequently transplanted and properly handled. Transplanting is what produces fibrous roots, but good feeding is necessary to impart health, vigor, and give a rich color to the foliage.

**ABIES. Balsamea.** (Balsam Fir) An ornamental native of our forests, that is very hardy; has dark green needles of pleasant fragrance; grows rapidly when young and does well in moist soils. Nice plants, 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50; specimens, 3 to 4 feet, \$2.00 to \$2.50 each; 5 to 7 feet, \$4.00 to \$5.00.

**Balsamea Argentea.** A silvery variety of the above. Very ornamental. Large plants, 3 to 4 feet, \$3.00; heavy specimens, 5 to 6 feet, \$4.00 to \$5.00.

**Concolor.** (Colorado Silver Fir) 30 to 40 feet. A beautiful and graceful evergreen with soft, silvery green foliage. Very symmetrical in form. Nice plants, \$1.50; 2 to 2½ feet, \$2.50; 3 to 4 feet, \$4.00 to \$5.00; 5 to 7 feet, \$6.00 to \$10.00.

**Canadensis.** (Hemlock Spruce) See Tsuga, page 52.

**Douglasi.** (Douglas Spruce) See Pseudotsuga, page 51.

**Fraseri.** (Double Balsam Fir) Similar in appearance and habit to Balsamea, but richer and more lasting. Large plants, 3 to 4 feet, \$3.00; 5 to 7 feet, \$4.00 to \$6.00.

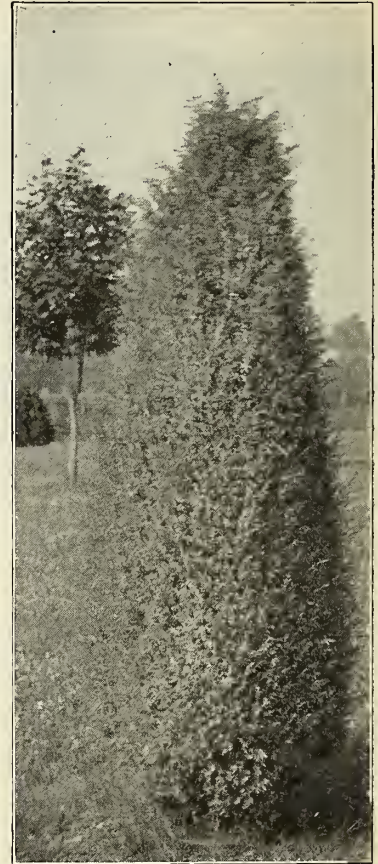


The Illustration Here Shows How Carefully the Roots are Preserved, Assuring Successful Transplanting.

**Umbellata.** Very similar to Nordmanni, but much handsomer. Large plants, 3 to 4 feet, \$3.50 to \$4.50.

**ARBORVITAE.** See Thuya.

**BLUE SPRUCE.** See Picea Pungens, Glauca, and Kosteriana.



Juniperus—Juniper.

**Nordmanniana.** (Nordman's Fir) This massive Fir, from the Crimean Mountains, is of symmetrical form, vigorous and quite hardy. Its foliage is massive, dark green shining above and slightly glaucous below, rendering it a very handsome tree throughout the year, considered here and in Europe as one of the finest of the Silver Firs. Nice plants, 2 feet, \$2.00; specimens, 3 feet, \$4.50; 4 feet, \$6.00; 6 to 7 feet, \$10.00 to \$15.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$16.00 to \$22.00.

**Nobilis Glauca.** (Noble Silver Fir) A beautiful conifer whose foliage is a silvery blue. It is particularly handsome in the spring. Large plants, 3 feet, \$3.50; large specimens, 4 feet, \$5.00 to \$6.00.

**Pectinata.** (European Silver Fir) This is a most popular evergreen. The needles are soft and much admired. Nice plants, 2 feet, \$1.50; specimens, 3 feet, \$2.50; 2 to 4 feet, \$3.00 to \$3.50 each.

**CRYPTOMERIA.** (Japonica Lobbi Compacta) A new and most distinct variety. Nice plants, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

**CUPRESSUS.** (Cypress) **Lawsoniana.** (Triumph of Boskoop) A splendid addition to the conifers or evergreens. Nice plants, 75 cents to \$1.00; large plants, 2 feet, \$1.50; 3 feet, \$2.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$3.00 to \$5.00, 5 to 6 feet, \$6.00 to \$7.50.

**FIR.** See Abies.

**HEMLOCK.** See Tsuga.



## Ornamental Evergreens--Conifers

**JUNIPERUS. Canadensis.** (Canadian Juniper) Foliage bright green. Nice plants, \$1.00; larger, \$1.50; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00 to \$2.50.

**Aurea Canadensis.** (Golden Canadian Juniper) Foliage bright yellow. Nice plants, \$1.50; larger, \$2.00.

**Aurea Chinensis.** (Golden Chinese Juniper) Foliage bright golden color. Nice plants, \$1.50; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.50 to \$3.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.50 to \$6.00.

**Cannarti.** Pyramidal compact habit, silvery foliage. Nice plants, \$1.00; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00 to \$3.00.

**Chinensis Argentea Variegata.** Beautiful variegated variety. Nice plants, 1½ ft., \$1.00; 2 ft., \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**Chinensis Mascula.** Upright growth, good foliage. Nice plants, 1½ to 2 ft., \$1.00 to \$2.00.

**Elegantissima.** Like the type in habit, but the tips of the young branches are golden yellow. A valuable tree for planting in groups of dark-foliaged trees for contrast. Nice plants, \$1.00; larger, \$1.50; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.50 to \$3.50.

**Globosa.** Globe shaped variety. 10 to 12 inches, \$1.00; 1½ ft., \$2.00 to \$3.00.

**Glaucia.** (Blue Virginia Cedar) Throughout the year the leaves are a rich silvery blue. Very handsome and effective. Nice plants, \$1.00; 2 ft., \$2.00; 3 ft., \$3.00; 4 ft., \$5.00; 5 to 6 ft., \$7.00 to \$10.00.

**Hibernica.** (Irish Juniper) An erect, dense column of dark green, 30 to 40 feet high, found quite effective in general landscape and formal planting. 3 ft., \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**Japonica Aurea.** A bright golden form suitable for rockeries. Nice plants, \$1.50; 1½ to 2 feet, \$2.00 to \$2.50.



*Picea Pungens Glaucia Kosteriana*—Many of such specimens may be seen in our Nursery.



*Picea Excelsa*—Norway Spruce.

**Nana Aurea.** Low spreading, golden foliage. Nice plants, \$1.25 to \$2.00.

**Nearbortensis.** Rich glaucous foliage. Nice plants, 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.25 to \$2.00.

**Pfitzeriana.** Very graceful and one of the hardiest varieties. 1 to 1½ feet, \$1.50 to \$2.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

**Sabina.** (Savina Juniper.) A thickly branched, low, spreading tree, that rarely reaches 10 feet in height; variable, sometimes procumbent. It is very hardy and thrives in the poorest soils; can be trained into any shape. The handsome foliage, of deep dark green, makes it a favorite for many uses, especially for rock work. Nice plants, 75 cents to \$1.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50 to \$2.00; 3 to 4 feet, \$2.50 to \$4.00.

**Sabina Fastigiata.** Erect columnar habit. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50 to \$2.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$3.00 to \$5.00.

**Recurva Squamata.** Desirable low-growing evergreen. Nice plants, \$1.50; larger, \$2.00; 1½ to 3 feet, \$3.00 to \$5.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$6 to \$8.

**Schottii.** Rich, green foliage. 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.00 to \$2.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.50 to \$3.50; 5 feet, \$5.00 to \$6.00.

**Tamariscifolia.** Foliage bluish green. Nice plants, \$1.50; 2 feet, \$3.00 to \$4.00.

**Virginiana.** (Red Cedar.) Is always popular and can be used ornamentally in a number of ways, thriving well and making a fine appearance in soils or situations where other trees will not grow. Nice plants, 50 cents; larger, 75 cents to \$1.00. Specimens, 3 to 4 feet, \$1.50 to \$2.00; 5 to 7 feet, \$3.00 to \$5.00.

**PICEA Pungens Glaucia Kosteriana.** (Koster's Blue Spruce) This is the most beautiful of the evergreen family. The rich, silvery blue coloring of the foliage is a rare bestowal of Nature and one she has saved for these grand trees. It will withstand the coldest climate, is a vigorous grower and will do well in any locality. For color effect nothing equals this beautiful variety. Nice plants, 1.00 to \$2.00; 2 feet, \$3.50; 3 feet, \$5.00; 4 feet, \$7.00 to \$9.00; 5 feet, \$10.00 to \$12.00; 6 to 9 feet, \$15.00 to \$25.00.

**Kosteriana Pendula.** (Koster's Weeping Blue Spruce) This splendid, new evergreen is undoubtedly one of the finest novelties ever sent out. Rich blue foliage. A tree of great distinction and rarity. 3 feet, \$5.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$10.00 to \$15.00; 6 feet, \$18.00 to \$20.00.

**Pungens Glaucia.** (Colorado Spruce) The original form of the now famous Colorado Blue Spruce. The foliage of this tree is quite blue. It is a strong, hardy grower in any soil. Nice plants, \$1.25; 2 feet, \$2.00; 3 feet, \$4.00; 4 feet, \$5.00; 4½ to 5 feet, \$7.00 to \$10.00.





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**PICEA Alba.** (White Spruce) One of the very best conifers, especially for cold climates. Compact, upright growing, long-lived, retaining its branches to the ground, aromatic, drought-resisting; varies in color from light green to glaucous blue. Nice plants, 75 cents; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00 to \$2.50; 3 to 4 feet, \$3.50 to \$4.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$5.00 to \$7.00.

**Alcockiana.** Foliage light blue beneath and dark green above. 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00; 3 to 4 feet, \$3.00 to \$4.00 each.

**Excelsa.** (Norway Spruce) (See cut) This, our common spruce, embraces more desirable features than any of the others. It is rapid growing, does well in most soils and withstands the bleak and cold winds of winter. Hedge size, 25 cents to 50 cents; larger, 1½ to 2 feet, 75 cents. Specimens, 2½ to 3 feet, \$1.00; 3 to 4 feet, \$2.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$2.50 to \$3.00; 5 to 6 feet, \$5.00 to \$7.00.

**Aurea.** (Golden Norway Spruce) Not so high as Excelsa, but is desirable on account of its yellow foliage, making a lively contrast to the darker sorts. Specimens, 4 to 5 ft., \$5 to \$7.

**Excelsa Compacta.** Dense and compact. 2 feet, \$2.00; 3 feet, \$3.00 to \$4.00.

**Excelsa Dumosa.** A dwarf form. Nice plants, \$1.00.

**Excelsa Elegantissima.** A very fine variety. Specimens, 5 to 6 feet, \$6.00 to \$8.00.

**Engelmannia Glauca.** Resembles the familiar Blue Spruce. Nice plants, \$1.00; 2 feet, \$2.00; 3 feet, \$3.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$5.00 to \$6.00 each.

**Excelsa Inversa.** (Weeping Norway Spruce) A very remarkable form. 4 to 5 feet, \$5.00 to \$6.00; 5 to 6 feet, \$8.00 to \$10.00.

**Excelsa Maxwellia.** A dense, spherical, regular growing variety. Nice plants, \$2.00; 2 feet, \$3.00 each; 3 to 4 feet, \$4.00 to \$5.00.

**Orientalis.** Its habit is symmetrical and compact. Nice plants, \$1.00; 2 feet, \$2.00; 3 feet, \$3.00; 3½ to 4 feet, \$4.00 to \$5.00.

**Excelsa Pyramidalis.** A spire-like form with very erect branches. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50; specimens, 4 feet, \$2.50; 5 to 6 feet, \$4.00 to \$6.00.

**Polita.** Light green foliage. Nice plants, \$2; specimens, 3 ft. \$4 each; 4 to 6 ft., \$5 to \$7.

**RETINOSPORA. Filifera.** (Thread-Branded Retinospora) Of pyramidal outline with drooping, deep green foliage. Nice plants, \$1.00 to \$1.50; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00 to \$2.50 each; 4 to 5 feet, \$3.50 to \$5.00 each.

**Plumosa Aurea.** (Golden Japan Cypress) One of the few really golden evergreens. The color of the young growth contrasts strongly with the darker shades of the older foliage. Striking and useful in many ways. Nice plants, \$1.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50 to \$2.00, 3 to 4 feet, \$3.00 to \$5.00.

**Pisifera.** Of more open growth than the Obtusas, growing sometimes to a large tree, 50 to 60 feet high, with erect branches, pendulous at the tips; foliage feathery, light green, glaucous beneath. Nice plants, \$1.25; 2 to 3 feet, \$2; 4 to 5 feet, \$2.50; 5 to 6 feet, \$5 to \$8.

**Pisifera Aurea.** Much like the type in general characteristics, but with bright yellow foliage. When planted in combination with the green varieties, is valuable for its contrasting foliage. 2 to 3 feet, \$2.25; 4 to 5 feet, \$3.00 to 5.00.

**PINUS Austriaca.** (Austrian Pine) A tall, massive tree with spreading branches heavily plumed with long, stiff, dark green needles. A useful species along the coast, and grows equally well inland. Popular for groupings or as specimens. Nice plants, \$1.50; 3 feet, \$2.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$3.50; 5 to 7 feet, \$5.00 to \$7.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$8.00 to \$12.00.

**Bauksiana.** (Jack Pine) Strong grower and hardy. Nice plants, 50 cents; 2 to 2½ feet, 75 cents; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 to \$2.00.

**Cembra.** (Swiss Stone Pine) A hardy, slow-growing tree of distinct, conical habit. Its branches symmetrically and makes fine specimens; also suitable for grouping. The needles are short and grayish blue. 2 feet, \$2.00; 3 feet, \$3.00 to \$4.00.

**Mughus.** (Mugho Pine) This unique alpine species forms a dark, dome-shaped bush, broader than its height, and sometimes almost prostrate. Suitable for lawn specimens or evergreen groups, terraces, rockeries, and seaside plantings. Nice plants, \$1.00; large, \$1.50; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00 to \$4.00; 3 to 4 feet, \$5.00 to \$7.00; 5 to 6 feet by 5 feet broad, \$7.50 to \$10.00.

**Parviflora Glauca.** A new very distinct form with glaucous foliage. 4 to 5 feet, \$5.00 to \$6.00.

**Strobis.** (White Pine) A grand old favorite that grows quickly and makes a most useful and beautiful ornamental tree. It withstands hardships, endures sandy soils and barren places. For specimen group or mass planting it is extensively used as well as for shade and shelter-belts. The needles are soft and bluish green. 2 feet, \$1.00; 3 feet, \$1.50; 4 feet, \$2.50; 5 feet, \$3.00 to \$4.00; 6 to 8, \$5.00 to \$7.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$7.50 to \$10.00.

**Sylvestris.** (Scotch Pine) A strong grower with spreading branches and short, stiff bluish-green needles. Its rapid growth makes it suited for temporary effects, though it is by no means to be despised for permanent ones. Splendid for mass plantings, screens, shelter-belts, and seashore uses. Nice plants, 75 cents; 2 feet, \$1.00; 3 feet, \$1.50; 4 to 5 feet, \$2.50 to \$3.50; 6 to 8 feet, \$5.00 to \$7.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$10.00 to \$12.00.

**PSEUDOTSUGA. Douglasii.** (Douglas' Spruce) It is similar to the spruce and is a very desirable and beautiful tree for either collective or individual planting. It is a western tree of erect habit and growth. Hardy in the coldest places. Nice plants, 1.00; specimens, 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00; 3½ to 4 feet, \$3.00.



Weeping Spruce.



Pinus (Pine).



# Wagner Park Flowers

## Ornamental Evergreens--Conifers



*Thuyas, Junipers, Retinosporas, and Taxus are used to produce such effects as here illustrated.*

**SPRUCE.** See *Picea*, also *Abies*.

**THUYA, Occidentalis.** (American Arborvitae) A strong, vigorous grower in almost any soil, and perfectly hardy. Its upright, slender growth makes it desirable for formal planting and for variety in grouping. Its ability to withstand shearing makes it unsurpassed for hedges. Hedge size, 25c; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100; 1½ ft., 50c; 2 ft., 75c to \$1.00; 3 ft., \$1.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$2.00 to \$3.00; 6 to 10 ft., \$5 to \$12.

**Ellwangeriana.** (Tom Thumb) In many respects it is similar to the *Retinospora*, and seems to be the connecting link between *Arbor Vitae*s and that family. Nice plants, 75c to \$1.00; 1½ to 2 ft., \$1.50.

**Globosa.** (Globe Arbor Vitae) A low, compact form with bright green foliage. Nice plants, 75 cents;

larger, \$1.00; 15 to 18 in., \$1.50 to \$2.00; 20 to 30 in., \$3.00 to \$5.00 each.

**Hoveyi.** (Hovey's Golden Arborvitae) A dense growing variety. Nice plants, 1½ ft., \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**Lutea.** A variety well known; having yellow foliage on its terminal spikes. Nice plants, \$1.00; larger, \$1.50; specimens, 2 to 3 ft., \$1.75 to \$2.00.

**Nana Compacta.** (Compact Arbor Vitae) Dwarf, dense, little evergreen, having light green foliage and neat, attractive habit. Nice plants, 75 cents; larger, \$1.00.

**Orientalis, Biota.** (Chinese Arbor Vitae) Bushy and upright in growth and very attractive foliage arranged in flat, vertical leaves. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$2.00 to \$3.00; 5 to 6 ft., \$4.00 to \$6.00.

**Pyramidalis.** (Pyramidal Arbor Vitae.) Its compact, slender column of dark green is ornamental as a lawn specimen for backgrounds and in groupings. Nice plants, \$1.00; specimens, 3 feet, \$1.50; 4 feet, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

**Rosenthalii.** Dark green, dense foliage, compact grower. Specimens, 2 to 3 feet, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

**Siberica.** (Siberian Arbor Vitae) Globular shape, handsome and hardy. Nice plants, 75 cents; larger, \$1.00 to \$2.00.

**Wareana.** Resembles the Siberian in foliage, but more upright and pyramidal in form. Nice plants, 75 cents to \$1.00; 1½ to 2 ft., \$1.50 to \$2.

**TAXUS, Cuspidata.** A Japanese variety of dense, bushy habit and dark green foliage; a very fine and hardy variety. Nice plants, \$1.00; larger, \$1.50.

**Cuspidata Brevifolia.** Dwarf, compact and very hardy form. Nice plants, \$1.00; 1½ to 2 ft., \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**THUYOPSIS, Borealis Glauca.** Pyramidal in habit; glaucous foliage. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50; 4 feet, \$2.50; 5 to 7 feet, \$3.00 to \$5.00.

**Standishi.** A pyramidal grower; foliage a little glaucous beneath and light green above. Nice plants, 3 feet, \$1.50; larger, \$2.00 to \$2.50 each.

**TSUGA, Canadensis.** (Hemlock Spruce) A medium size tree with pendulous branches whose graceful character is in striking contrast to some of the formal conifers. This variety is a rapid grower and very hardy. If trimmed it becomes dense and bushy, making especially beautiful hedges. Hedge size, 75c; 1½ to 2 ft., \$1.00; 2 to 2½ ft., \$1.50; 3 ft., \$2.00 to \$3.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$4.00 to \$7.00.

**YEW.** See *Taxus*.

### COLLECTION OF EVERGREENS.

Any one wanting to make a planting of assorted evergreens, we offer below some desirable collections for general planting. All of these plants are in good, thrifty condition and will give entire satisfaction.

We offer one dozen (12) nice, thrifty plants in assorted varieties for \$6.00. Twenty-five (25) for \$12.00. Fifty (50) for \$22.00. One hundred (100) for \$40.00. Owing to the low prices, selection must be left to us.



**Thuja Occidentalis.**





# Wagner Park Flowers



Rhododendrons have an individual charm all their own. They are effective both in foliage and flower. It is in partial shady places where they thrive best.

## Hardy Evergreen Shrubs

These "Broad-leaved Evergreens" are being used more and more each year because they are so desirable and effective in all landscape work. Their heavy leaf masses meet the demand for fresh green foliage to enliven and cheer the bare aspect of deciduous trees and shrubs in winter. But best of all is the magnificent display that most of them make when in bloom, especially the Rhododendrons and Kalmias. Another desirable quality most of them have is such a fondness for shady places that they meet a large demand in beautifying these spots which are usually thought so difficult to adorn. As a rule they transplant easily, are quite hardy, give immediate results, and are altogether very satisfactory things to use.

**AZALEA, Amonea.** A bushy evergreen with small green leaves that deepen to a lustrous coppery color in winter. During May the whole plant is clothed with a mass of brilliant claret-colored flowers that hold their beauty three or four weeks. Nice plants, \$1.00; larger, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**Hinamayo.** (New) Flowers bright pink. \$1.50 each; larger, \$2.00.

**Hinodegiri.** (New) A grand type producing bright red flowers. Very showy. \$1.50; larger, \$2.00 each.

**EUONYMUS, Radicans.** See Evergreen Vines.

**KALMIA, Latifolia.** (Mountain Laurel) One of the grandest of our native evergreen shrubs. Flowers are wheel-shaped and set in close corymbs on the ends of the stems, pure white to pink, and appear in May or June in such profusion as to almost smother the foliage. Nice plants, \$1.00; \$10.00 per dozen; extra large, \$1.50 each.

**MAHONIA, Aquifolia.** The richness of the glossy leaves gives this Mahonia great popularity for ornamental planting. Excellent for edging plantings of Rhododendrons or other evergreens. Yellow flowers followed by blue berries for winter decoration.

**AZALEA.** Deciduous. See Shrubs.

**BERBERIS, Illicifolia.** (Holly-leaved Barberry) Holly-like, dark, lustrous green leaves with orange-yellow flowers. 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen. Larger, 35 cents, \$3.50 per dozen. Specimens, 50 cents each.

**COTONEASTER.**

**Simonsi.** An attractive variety with spreading branches and deep green foliage, clusters of white flowers followed by bright, red berries. Very showy. Extra large specimens only. 75 cents and \$1.00 each.



A Planting of Evergreens Edged with Mahonia Aquifolia. A Most Desirable edging plant. Also Suitable for Grouping.

Its upper leaves are bronzed to red in the winter. It is perfectly hardy in all localities, which makes it superior to any others for general planting. Prices: Nice plants, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen. Larger, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen. Extra large, 75 cents, \$1.00, and \$1.50 each.

**Japonica.** (Japanese Mahonia) A variety next to the holly in beauty and foliage. Leaves broad, yellow flowers followed by dark purple berries. This variety should be planted in a protected location, especially in the extreme Northern States. Large specimen plants only \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.50 each.



# Wagner Park Flowers

## Hardy Evergreen Shrubs

### HOW TO GROW RHODODENDRONS.

Rhododendrons and a great many of our native plants grow naturally in shady, damp situations, are surface feeders, and this should be taken into consideration when preparing the place to receive the plants. A northern exposure should be chosen, and where there is shade much of the day. Soil should be dug two feet deep, and adding a mixture of leaf-mould, swamp peat or muck or field sods, also sand. The material should be well mixed or pulverized before planting. During the summer the ground should be mulched with leaves or other material and the plants at all times well supplied with moisture. Well rotted manure may be used for top dressing. In winter the plants should be protected by straw, corn fodder, or cedar boughs, particularly where exposed to the sun. Winter sun on the frozen leaves often spoils the foliage of Rhododendrons.

Prices quoted are for good specimen plants of the various varieties. Our Rhododendrons are many-stemmed clumps. Do not compare them with single stemmed, half-hardy Rhododendrons offered by many. There is no comparison.

**RHODODENDRONS.** The Rhododendron is the noblest of our evergreen shrubs. Their large, showy flowers are not equaled by any other shrub. They are a native of the Allegheny and Carolina mountains, where they are seen growing in such profusion that they have become world-famed.

**CATAWBIENSE.** This is our native variety, producing clusters of bright pink flowers. Not so free to bloom as Grandiflorum, but hardier in extreme north. We offer only large, heavy plants. Price \$3.00, \$4.00, and \$5.00 each.

**CATAWBIENSE GRANDIFLORUM.** (See illustration showing how freely they bloom.) A very compact grower with dark green, glossy foliage. The flowers are a rosy-lilac color and produced in large clusters and in the greatest profusion during late May or early June. Price for nice plants full of flowering buds, \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per dozen; large size, \$1.25 each; \$13.50 per dozen. Heavy specimens, \$1.50, \$2.00, and \$2.50 each.

**MAXIMUM.** A taller growing variety than Catawbiense and the leaves are somewhat larger. This variety will withstand more exposure than any of the others and is the latest to bloom. Blossoms are white, tinged pink. While it does not bloom so freely as the Catawbiense Grandiflorum, it is the variety to plant in the extreme Northern States. We offer only extra heavy specimen plants, which will be sent with ball of earth on roots that transplanting may be successful and certain. We cannot assure blossoms for this season, however, with this class of plants the foliage is the important feature, which remains green the entire year. Plants 3 feet spread and 5 feet high, \$5.00 each. Larger specimens, \$7.50 to \$10.00 each.



Group Planting of Rhododendron Catawbiense Grandiflorum. Photograph taken same season planted, showing their wealth of bloom.

## Trained Specimen Trees

To meet the increasing demand for trained specimen trees for verandas, entrances, courts, and formal garden, we always have on hand a large stock of these trees in the different varieties, shapes and sizes. For decorative purposes these stately evergreen trees cannot be excelled. Nothing can approach them as effective plants for decorating entrances, halls, or piazzas. For Italian gardens or inclosed court, they are largely used, and always in keeping with such surroundings.

### Box Trees Planted in Our Tree Boxes

Dignify the entrance to your home with a pair of Box Trees at your door.

For the convenience of those wanting to purchase box trees already planted, we here offer some of the leading sizes planted in our Plant Boxes.

Nice Bush Box, 12" high, planted in Wagner Plant Boxes..	\$1.15	\$2.00
Nice Bush Box, 18" high, planted in Wagner Plant Boxes..	1.60	3.00
Nice Bush Box, 24" high, planted in Wagner Plant Boxes..	2.25	4.00
Nice Pyramidal Box, about 24" high, planted in Wagner Plant Boxes .....	2.00	3.75
Nice Pyramidal Box, about 30" high, planted in Wagner Plant Boxes .....	2.50	4 50
Nice Pyramidal Box, about 36" high, planted in Wagner Plant Boxes .....	3.25	6.00
Nice Bush Box, about 24" high, planted in Mission Plant Boxes .....	3.00	5.50
Nice Bush Box, about 30" high, planted in Mission Plant Boxes .....	4.75	9.00
Nice Bush Box, about 36" high, planted in Mission Plant Boxes .....	5.50	10.00
Nice Pyramidal Box, about 30" high, planted in Mission Plant Boxes .....	3.25	6.00
Nice Pyramidal Box, about 36" high, planted in Mission Plant Boxes .....	4.25	8.00
Nice Pyramidal Box, about 42" high, planted in Mission Plant Boxes .....	5.25	10.00
Nice Pyramidal Box, about 48" high, planted in Mission Plant Boxes .....	6.25	12.00



Pyramid Box Tree, Planted in Mission Box.



Bush Box Planted in Wagner Plant Box No. 2.

For Styles and Prices of Plant Boxes, see Rear Inside Cover.



# Wagner Park Flowers

## Trained Specimen Trees

### Box Trees

No evergreen has ever attained the popularity of these beautiful little trees. Much of this is because of their distinctive character from any other evergreen. Their suitability to so many places as decorative plants, and the small amount of care they require to grow them, make them very desirable for the home grounds. They are long-lived, hardy, and will stand frost and cold; but in the extreme north they need protection over winter or moved indoors. They are useful for grouping, planting against house foundations, for formal or colonial gardens, terraces, and porches.

Our stock of these plants is very complete in these various sizes, and are all nice specimens. They are all well supplied with large balls of fibrous roots, which when shipped are wrapped in burlap, guaranteeing their safe arrival to any point in the United States or Canada. When planted in a mission plant box or colonial kettle they are carefully crated to protect them from any injury.



Box Trees, Pyramidal Bush and Globe Shape add dignity and cheerfulness to the entrance of a home. Note the effect in this picture.

### Boxwood

#### Pyramidal Form

These are all trimmed pyramid shape and are excellent for entrances, halls, piazzas, or anywhere on the lawn.

	Each	Pair		Each	Pair		Each	Pair
2 to 2½ ft.	\$1.75	\$3.00	Extra fine specimens.	\$2.25	\$4.00	4 to 4½ ft.	\$4.00	\$7.50
2½ to 3 ft.	2.25	4.00	Extra fine specimens.	2.75	5.00	4½ to 5 ft.	4.75	9.00
3 to 3½ ft.	2.75	5.00	Extra fine specimens.	3.25	6.00	5 to 5½ ft.	6.25	12.00
3½ to 4 ft.	3.25	6.00	Extra fine specimens.	3.75	7.00			

### Boxwood, Standards

These resemble the Bay Tree in shape, but are not so large. Leaves are also much smaller.

Crown	Each	Pair		Each	Pair	Crown	Each	Pair
15 inches...	\$2.00	\$3.50	Extra fine specimens.	\$2.25	\$4.00	21 inches...	\$3.25	\$6.00
18 inches...	2.50	4.50	Extra fine specimens.	2.75	5.00	24 inches...	5.25	10.00

### Boxwood in Bush Form

Heavy bushes suitable for hedges, also used extensively for planting against house foundations or as specimens planted in Boxes or Tubs.

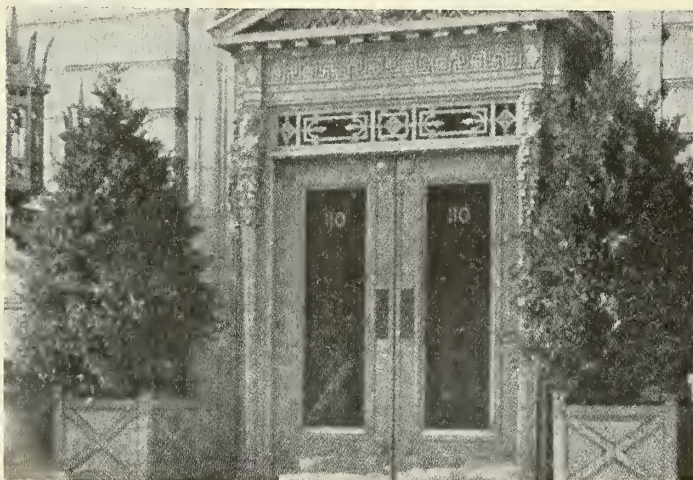
	Each	Dozen
Nice bushy plants, 8 to 10 inches....	\$0.25	\$2.50
Nice bushy plants, 10 to 12 inches....	.40	4.00
Nice bushy plants, 12 to 15 inches....	.50	5.00
Nice bushy plants, 15 to 18 inches....	.75	8.00
Large bushy plants, 18 to 20 inches....	1.00	11.00
Large bushy plants, 20 to 24 inches....	1.25	13.50
Large bushy plants, 24 to 30 inches....	2.00	
Large specimens, 30 to 36 inches....	3.00	
Large specimens, 36 to 42 inches....	5.00	

### Boxwood, Globe Shape

	Diameter	Each	Pair
Nice shapely plants.....	12 to 15 in.	\$1.50	\$2.75
Extra selected specimens.	12 to 15 in.	2.00	3.75
Nice shapely plants.....	15 to 18 in.	2.00	3.75
Extra selected specimens.	15 to 18 in.	2.75	5.00
Nice shapely plants.....	18 to 21 in.	2.75	5.00
Extra selected specimens.	18 to 21 in.	3.75	7.00
Nice shapely plants.....	21 to 24 in.	3.75	7.00
Extra selected specimens.	21 to 24 in.	5.00	9.50

### Dwarf Boxwood

Used extensively for hedges, edging walks and flower beds; can be kept trimmed any height or shape desired. Prices: 4 to 6 inch, \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100; \$80 per 1,000; 10 to 12 inch, \$3.00 per dozen; \$22.50 per 100.



Large Bush Box Planted in Art Craft Plant Boxes.





# Wagner Park Flowers



Flower-lovers Everywhere Know how Indispensable are Climbing Vines. The Varieties We Offer are Especially Adapted for Covering Pergolas, Arbors, etc.

## Hardy Climbing Vines

Nothing lends such pleasing effect to wall or verandas as the judicious use of vines. The hardy vine is best adapted for covering an unsightly wall or for furnishing shade and ornament to verandas. With the advent of spring the tendrils are given new life and as the season advances they soon become a glorious veil of vernal verdure.

Hardy vines practically take care of themselves after once established and are much more desirable and less trouble than annual or tender varieties.

Without climbing vines many beautiful homes would present a sad and unprotected picture during our hot summers. In addition to their attractiveness they also give the home that exclusiveness that cannot be had in any other way. There are also many of the vines that will be found suitable for many other purposes. The Ampelopsis and Euonymus are especially adapted for covering stone work, also the English Ivy. The Honey-suckles, in addition to being attractive for the porch, will be found useful for covering wire fences, tree stumps and many other unsightly objects can be made beautiful with these vines. The different varieties we list are all extremely hardy and no one need hesitate in planting them in any locality.

**AKEBIA Quinata.** A beautiful, hardy Japanese vine, with unique foliage and chocolate-purple flowers of delightful fragrance in large clusters. The foliage is never attacked by insects. 25 cents each, **prepaid**. Large size, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**AMPELOPSIS Veitchii.** (Boston Ivy) The leaves of this beautiful climber change in the fall to the most vivid autumnal tints. Note in illustration how it clings to the stone wall. Will also cling to wood or brick. 15 cents per dozen, **prepaid**. Larger plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100. Extra large, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen.

**Quinquefolia.** (Virginia Creeper or Woodbine) Foliage assumes brilliant shades of yellow crimson and scarlet in the fall. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen. Extra large plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Engelmana.** A very desirable variety similar to Quinquifolia, but of somewhat more climbing habit and with smaller, denser foliage. Colors beautifully in the fall. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen. Larger, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Extra heavy, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen.

**ARISTOLOCHIA Siph.** (Dutchman's Pipe Vine) Singular brownish-colored flowers, resembling in shape a pipe. Leaves heart-shaped and very large. Excellent for pergolas and verandas. Large plants, only 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen. Extra large, 75 cents each.

**BIGNONIA Grandiflora.** (Trumpet Creeper) For covering unsightly places, stumps, rockwork, it will be found very useful. Flowers orange-red color. Large plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Extra large, 25 cents.

**Rubra.** Red flowers. Very rare. 75 cents each. Extra large, \$1.00.

**CELASTRUS Scandens.** (Bitter Sweet) Yellow flowers during June, which are followed with bright orange fruit. Large plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Larger, 35 cents.

**CLEMATIS Paniculata.** One of the finest and most popular vines and may be used wherever a vine is needed. Glossy green foliage and a mass of fragrant flowers



**Clematis Paniculata.**

in August and September. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Larger size, 35 cents each. Extra heavy, 50 cents.

**Virginiana.** (American White Clematis) Small white flowers. Large size, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Extra large, 35 cents.

**CLEMATIS.** Large Flowered. Nothing can be more satisfactory than vigorous plants of these showy climbers, which are adapted to any situation, either on verandas, trellis, or as individual specimen pillar plants in the garden.

**Jackmanii Superba.** Flowers intense violet purple. 35c.

**Ville de Lyon.** Bright carmine flowers. 50 cents.

**Integrifolia Durandi.** Semi-climbing habit and producing showy indigo blue flowers. 50 cents.

**Lawsoniana.** Finest light blue variety in cultivation. 50c.

**M. Koster.** Color, distinct, light red. 40 cents.

**Duchess of Edinburgh.** Double pure white, 50 cents.

**Mad. le Coultre.** A fine, large, single white. 50 cents.

**SPECIAL OFFER—CLEMATIS—One red, one white, one purple, for \$1.00.**



# Wagner Park Flowers

## Hardy Climbing Vines--Continued

**LONICERA. Brachypoda Aurea Reticulata.** (Japan Golden-leaved Honeysuckle) Of vigorous growth, forming radiant festoons and masses with its clear, golden leaves. Valuable for covering banks, bare places, etc. Flowers creamy white. Large plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Extra large, 35 cents; \$3.50 doz. **Halliana** (Hall's Japan Honeysuckle) White and creamy yellow flowers. Nice young plants, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**LYCIUM.** (Matrimony Vine) Numberless bright red berries in the fall. 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen. Larger, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen. Extra heavy, 50 cents.

**PERIPLOCA.** (Silk Vine) Purple-brown auxiliary clusters of flowers. 35 cents; extra large, 50 cents.

**POLYGONUM Baldschuanicum.** One of the most useful climbing plants of recent introduction, being perfectly hardy; a strong grower, covering itself with a sheet of snowy white flowers, delicately suffused with pink, which are borne in long racemes. It blooms in such profusion that the flowers form a perfect cloud of mist. 25 cents, \$2.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Larger, 35 cents; \$3.00 per dozen. Extra heavy, 50 cents; \$5.00 per dozen.

**VITUS Aestivilis.** Strong, tall-climbing vine with large foliage and small black berries. 25 cents; larger, 35 cents.

**WISTARIA. Chinensis.** A most desirable vine which will thrive in almost any kind of soil or situation, and quite a rapid grower. Pendulous clusters of delicate violet-blue blossoms, richly perfumed. Nice plants, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen **prepaid**. Larger size, 30 cents; \$3.00 per dozen. Extra heavy, 50 cents each.

**Alba.** Of similar habit to Chinensis, with white flowers. Larger plants, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen. Extra large, 50 cents.

**Multijuga.** Tree form. Purple flowers. \$2.00 to \$3.00 each.

### EVERGREEN VINES.

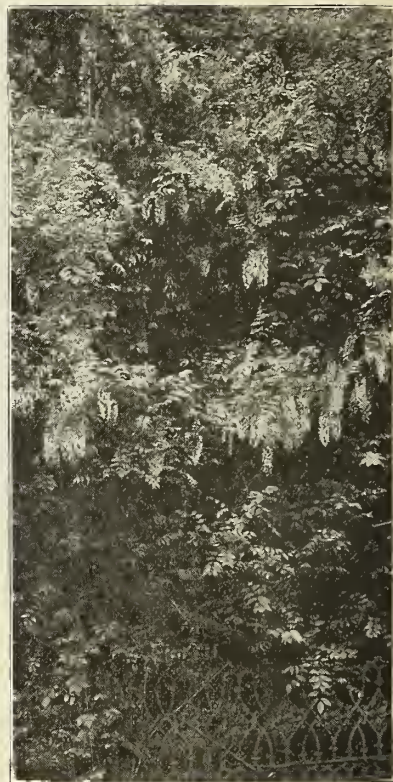
**EUONYMUS.** Hardy and well adapted for covering walls, rocks or trunks of trees. Also suitable for edging beds, as it can be kept closely clipped the same as box edging.

**Radicans.** Beautiful bright green foliage. Nice young plants, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100.

**Radicans Variegata.** (Variegated Creeping Euonymus) A splendid evergreen creeping plant with pretty, small foliage, beautifully variegated deep green and white. Rather slow-growing but useful for covering low stone walls or stumps, or as an edging plant, for which purpose it can be kept closely clipped in same manner as box edging. Nice young plants, 15 cents each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$10.00 per 100, **prepaid**. Large size, 25 cents, \$2.50 per dozen, \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen.

**ENGLISH IVY.** Dark, glossy green leaves and clings firmly to stone or brick walls. Thrives best in a shady position and is hardy in nearly all localities. Nice young plants, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Larger size 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

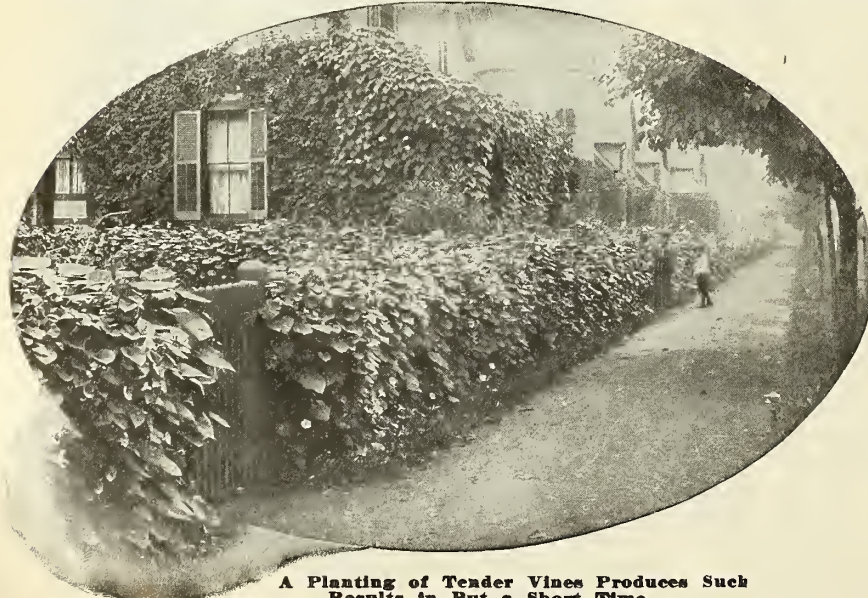
**HARDY CLIMBING SWEET PEAS.** This is one of the most desirable hardy climbing plants attractive both in flower and foliage, producing clusters of large flowers the entire summer. As a porch climber or for covering fences, it is invaluable. It is perfectly hardy and will endure our severest winters. Fine two-year-old plants in assorted colors, white, pink, and red, 6 for 75 cents; 12 for \$1.00, **prepaid**. Larger size, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen.



**Wisteria Chinensis.**

## Tender Climbing Vines

This class of vines are most rapid growing and should be planted where quick effects are desired. They, however, being tender, die in the fall but are offered at such low prices, the replanting each season is not expensive.



**A Planting of Tender Vines Produces Such Results in But a Short Time.**

**COREA SCANDENS.** One of the most rapid growing climbing plants in cultivation; grows from 15 to 25 feet high and bears beautiful, deep, blue, bell-shaped flowers. For covering porches, trellis, or arbors it has no equal and should be more generally planted. 15 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen, **prepaid**.

**IPOMEA.** (Moon Flowers) One of the most popular summer vines. The foliage is graceful and serviceable, and the vine a rapid climber, attaining a length of 40 feet in a season. The flowers are borne abundantly throughout a long season, opening at sundown, emitting a rich, Jessamine odor at night, and closing about noon next day.

**Ipomea Grandiflora.** (White Moon-flower) Satiny white flowers, five to six inches in diameter. 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen, **prepaid**.

**VINCA VARIEGATA.** Elegant low-growing trailing vine; bright glossy green leaves, widely bordered with creamy white; always bright and pretty; extra nice for pots, vases, baskets, window boxes, and rockeries. 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen, Large size, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Extra heavy, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.



# Wagner Park Flowers

## Wagner Park Lily-Cannas, The Finest Grown

A Bed of Lily-Cannas is a Veritable Bit of the Tropics

Visitors are invariably enthused at the beauty and size of Wagner Park Cannas with their wide, arching leaves and stiff stalks of flaming flowers growing like torches above their noble foliage. This effectiveness is not confined to only a few weeks' display, but being exuberant in growth, a bed of Cannas soon becomes attractive after planting and each day thereafter adds to its beauty.

Cannas should not be planted out-of-doors until after all danger of frost is over. They may be planted as late as June, but the earlier planted, the better the results. The most practical way to care for the roots over winter is to take up the clumps after the first killing frost, leaving some earth adhere to the roots. Place them in a dry cellar where frost will not penetrate. Do not allow the roots to become too dry or the tubers will wither, but care should be taken that they are not too moist to allow mildewing. In spring the bulbs can be started in sand in the house, if kept moist, or can be planted in the open ground as soon as all danger of frost is over.



**A Canna Bed Like this for \$5.00** Sent  
Size of Bed, 10 Feet in Diameter. Prepaid

This Collection Consists of 37 Choice Cannas:—7 Pennsylvania for Center; 12 David Harum for Second Circle; 18 Loveliness for outside row and 35 Bright Red Coleus for Edging. **A FLORAL FEAST OF LILY-CANNAS** 72 Plants for Only \$5.00.

### List of Choice Varieties

**King Humbert.** Medium height, a bright orange-scarlet, streaked with crimson. The foliage is bronze with brownish-green stripes, large, thick, and leathery; in fact, the finest foliage of all Cannas. It is a strong, robust grower, and exceedingly free flowering. 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen.

**David Harum.** Medium height; dark bronze foliage. Strong grower and one of the freest blooming Cannas we have ever sent out. Flowers are of large size with well-rounded petals, good substance, and not too compact. Color is a bright vermillion-scarlet, dotted with crimson spots. Considered by experts to be one of the best Cannas. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Egandale.** Medium height; bronze foliage. A most excellent variety, with bronzy foliage and soft, currant-red flowers, which are thrown well above the foliage; the best of its type. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Cinnabar.** Tall grower; color, Cinnabar red, edged with yellow. Flowers of this variety are quite small, but a good grower and fine for its green foliage effect. 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen.

**Loveliness.** Dwarf grower. The color of this exquisite Canna is bright ruby-carmine. The blooms are formed on large heads, which are borne erect, and the individual flowers are of immense size; green foliage. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Duke of Marlborough.** Medium height; the darkest Canna grown. One of the most erect, handsome plants, with fine metallic-green foliage. Flowers, deep crimson-maroon. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Pennsylvania.** Very tall; one of the best; the flowers are produced remarkably free in many branched panicles, and are of an intense vermillion scarlet, overlaid with an orange-scarlet sheen; foliage, rich green. Very popular because of the immense size of its flowers. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

**The Express.** Dwarf grower. This one possesses superior merits—equaled by few and second to none. In color is bright, scarlet-crimson. Large, broad-petaled flowers in immense, compact trusses. The bed is a mass of bloom the entire season. This added to its free, clean, green growth makes it an ideal crimson bedder. 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.



# Wagner Park Flowers

## Dahlias

### SHOW, DECORATIVE, CACTUS, POMPON, AND SINGLE VARIETIES.

Within the last few years a wonderful revival of interest in the Dahlias is noted, which has resulted in their now being very important rivals to all other bedding plants.

We recommend Dahlias to any one wanting an attractive bedding plant and something that will also give a liberal supply of fine cut flowers. They are also very effective planted among shrubs and perennials.

Dahlias are very showy and attractive and best results are obtained if planted early, however, they can be planted very late with good results.

**ARABELLA.** (Show Dahlia) A profuse flowering variety. Color, pale primrose, tipped and shaded old rose and lavender. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

**CLIFFORD W. BRUTON.** (Decorative Dahlia.) The best yellow; of immense size, perfect form, and of the finest canary yellow. A tall, vigorous grower and extremely free bloomer. Should be in every collection. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

**EARL OF PEMBROKE.** (Cactus Dahlia) Bright plum, deeper and more velvety toward the center. 15 cents; \$1.50.

**ECLIPSE.** (Show Dahlia) A standard fancy Dahlia; color, brilliant scarlet. This variety is too well known to describe its good qualities. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

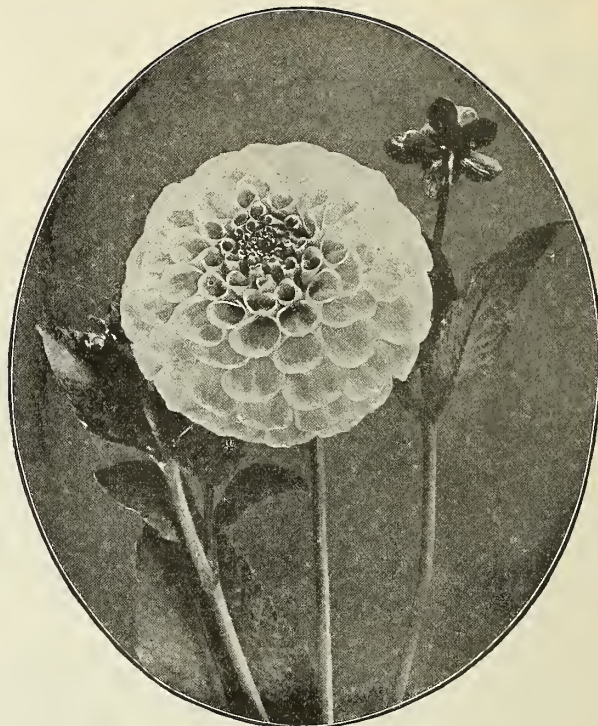
**GRAND DUKE ALEXIS.** (Decorative Dahlia) The color is white, tinged delicate pink. 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen.

**JOHN H. ROACH.** (Cactus Dahlia) A fine, light yellow. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

**A. D. LIVONI.** (Show Dahlia) This is the loveliest of all. Color, a very light silvery pink, petals beautifully quilled. We consider this one of the very best varieties. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**MARY D. HALLECK.** (Show Dahlia) Color, a beautiful, golden yellow. Produced on long stems. 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

**PURPLE QUEEN.** (Show Dahlia) This is one of the best varieties of its color. It is a robust grower and the flowers are pure purple, produced on long, stiff



Show Dahlia—Snowflake.



Tango—The Dahlia for the Million.

stems, making it a very valuable variety. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

**SNOWFLAKE.** (Show Dahlia) This superior variety is a very early and profuse bloomer. The flowers are snow white, of perfect form, and full to the center. As a cut flower it is ideal, while for grouping or as a specimen plant it is one of the very best. 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen.

**SNOWCLAD.** (Pompon Dahlia) Flowers snowy white, perfect in form. A dwarf grower; very early, covered with a mass of blooms the whole season. Its dwarf, compact habit and freedom of bloom combine to make it one of the very best for bedding purposes. 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen.

**TWENTIETH CENTURY.** (Single Dahlia) The most exquisite Dahlia ever introduced. No orchid could be more delicate in color or yet richer in shading. It is purest white at the tips and gradually shading toward the center of the petal to delicate blush rose, and finally bursting into a flame of brilliant violet-crimson. Not variegated, but a wonderful blending of colors. 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen.

**TANGO.** This is the Dahlia for the million. It is a most remarkable variety—blooming in the greatest profusion, and under most all conditions, from the beginning to the end of the season. The color is "Tango Shade," the all-desirable and popular shade of the present day. The blending of color is so pleasing, and flowers so perfectly and freely, every one seeing them is perfectly delighted. The flowers are excellent for cutting and very lasting. Get your order in early. Price 25 cents each; 5 for \$1.00; \$2.00 per dozen.

**BLACK BEAUTY.** (Decorative) In flowers, as well as anything else, the curious always attracts our attention. Black Beauty is distinct in that it is the darkest Dahlia we have ever seen. 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.

**SPECIAL DAHLIA COLLECTION.** For Bed 12 Feet in Diameter, or may be used for beds of other shapes. 5 Twentieth Century, for Center; 12 Tango Dahlias for Middle Row; 24 Snowclad for edge. Special price, \$4.00. Get your orders in early.





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Chrysanthemums

Our collection of these large-flowered Chrysanthemums comprises only the choicest varieties; those which we know will produce satisfactory results. They are all perfectly hardy for outdoor planting in the Southern States, while in the North they will require protection. See our list of pompon varieties under the section of Hardy Plants.

**CHIEFTAIN.** An unusual shade of pink, fine form and good grower.

**CHAS. RAZER.** A beautiful pure white of fine shape, large flowers, and very full bloomer.

**DR. ENGUEHARD.** Bright rose-pink; one of the very best of the entire list.

**GLORY OF THE PACIFIC.** The best early pink. Magnificent flower petals, faintly reflexed. Showy clear pink color. Dwarf but vigorous habit of growth. Blooms early.

**IVORY.** Unexcelled for pot culture or outdoor growing, exquisite form and finish. It is especially noticeable for its globular form.

**MAJOR BONAFFON.** Soft, clear yellow, full in the center; 8 inches in diameter and nearly as deep. In perfect form and finish, habit dwarf, keeping qualities excellent. It was awarded a World's Fair Medal, with the highest recommendation from the judges.

**PINK IVORY.** Most popular Chrysanthemum. It is identical with Ivory in every respect, except color, which is a beautiful shell pink.

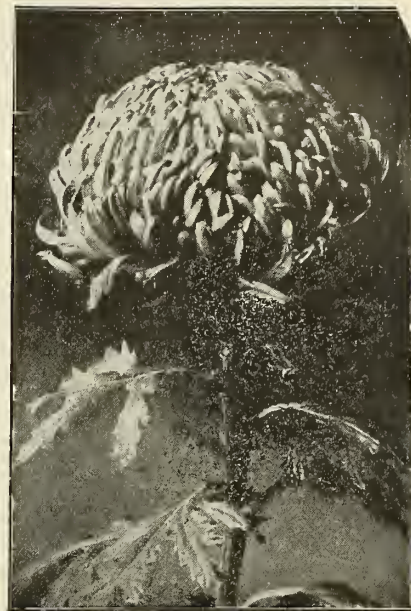
**YELLOW IVORY.** A variety of great substance of medium size and free bloomer.

**PACIFIC SUPREME.** Most satisfactory variety. Flowers are a beautiful pink color and full bloom.

**Price** Any above varieties Chrysanthemums in good, thrifty stock, 15c; \$1.50 per dozen, PREPAID. \$8.00 per 100.

### Mum Offer

12 Nice, thrifty plants in 4 varieties, our selection of varieties, for \$1.00, prepaid.



Ivory.

## Everblooming Carnations

The following list embraces the best of the standard and well-tried varieties. Good results will be obtained from these planted out of doors, especially so in the Southern States, where they are hardy, while in the North they require protection. See list of Hardy Pinks, under Hardy Plant section; also note colored illustration on inside front cover.

**BEACON.** Dazzling scarlet; very large and full flower.

**HARLOWARDEN.** The best standard crimson on the market.

**MRS. C. W. WARD.** Deep pink of fine form and full bloomer.

**PHILADELPHIA.** Deep, glowing rose pink, an always acceptable shade.

**VICTORY.** Brilliant red; extra large flowers, and particularly free to bloom.

**WHITE PERFECTION.** Clear, brilliant white; fine form and very large.

**WHITE WONDER.** A truly wonderful white flower of immense size.

**Price** Any above varieties, 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen, PREPAID. \$6.00 per 100.

### Special Carnation Offer

12 thrifty plants in 3 varieties, our selection, for 75 cents, PREPAID.



Carnations.



## Choice Bedding Plants



An Effective Arrangement of Hydrangeas.

### GERANIUMS.

The following collection of Geraniums has been carefully selected as the very best for summer blooming. All have been thoroughly tested by us and we can recommend every one sure to give satisfaction and a wealth of beautiful blossoms this season.

**Bruant.** An old favorite, and still one of the best and most brilliant scarlet varieties. Blooms in large sized trusses and is in bloom continually, while the plant is vigorous and strong in growth. 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Larger size, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.

**La Favorite.** Trusses very large and of the purest snowy white even when grown in the open ground. 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.

**Mrs. E. G. Hill.** Flowers are large and perfect in form, bright salmon, with a light shading at center. One of the freest bloomers, continually covered with large trusses of its beautiful, single flowers. 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen.

**Mad. Sollerol.** Very fine for bordering. The flowers are of the most perfect shape and large size. The trusses are massive and produced in great number. Close, compact habit, 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.

**S. A. Nutt.** Rich, dark crimson. The flowers are of the most perfect shape and large size. The trusses are massive and produced in great number. Close, compact habit, 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—One each of the above Five Varieties, 50 cents, **PREPAID**. In larger size, 75 cents.

### HYDRANGEAS (See Cut)

**Otaksa.** These are exceedingly showy and effective, particularly when grown as large specimens in tubs for the decoration of lawns in the summer time. They are exceedingly ornamental, producing splendid effects, the plants being covered with a solid mass of their large, showy heads of bloom, which remain beautiful for months. They can be wintered in any cool cellar with little or no trouble, and the plants increase in beauty from year to year. While they are principally grown in pots or tubs, they can also be planted in open ground. They are hardy except in the Northern States. Prices. Nice, young plants, 25 cents; \$2.50 per doz.; larger size, 50 cents, \$5.00 per dozen. Extra size, 75 cents and \$1.00 each.

**CALADIUM. Esculentum. (Elephant Ear)** One of the most effective plants, growing 5 feet high, with handsome leaves often 3 feet long and 20 inches wide. It will grow in any good garden soil and is of easiest culture. Can be stored in sand in any dry, warm place during winter. Prices according to size, 15 cents, 25 cents, and 50 cents each.

**COLEUS** are almost indispensable where beds of brilliant foliage are wanted. Also used for edging and ribbon beds. Brilliant red, 5 cents; 50 cents per dozen; \$3.00 per 100. Larger, 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen.



Geranium.



## Choice Bedding Plants

### Gladiolus—Cultural Directions

Gladiolus constitute one of the finest features of the flower garden during the summer and autumn months for a diversity of color and general effect, either in masses or planted in clumps for border decoration. They are also of easy culture and will thrive in any ordinary deeply dug garden soil to which is added a liberal supply of well decayed manure. A succession of bloom may be had from July to October by planting at intervals from April to June. Plant six inches apart in beds or double row and three inches deep.

In the fall, before frost, the bulbs should be taken up, gradually dry them, and after cleaning them put into a paper bag and place out of the reach of frost, for planting again the following spring.

**First Prize White.** A lovely and useful pure white variety. 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.00 per 100.

**First Prize Pink.** One of the finest varieties for cutting or bedding ever sent out; color a beautiful soft flesh pink; orchid-like in its coloring and texture; growth and habit perfect. 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.00 per 100.

**First Prize Red.** The best and most effective scarlet for massing. 15 cents each; 75 cents per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.

**FIRST PRIZE COLLECTION.** This strain affords an unusually fine range of colors. All large flowering kinds. One of the finest mixtures possible to make. 10 cents each; 50 cents per dozen; \$3.50 per 100.

**SPECIAL NOTE.**—Gladiolus sent prepaid at single rate prices.

### Lobelia

**Crystal Palace Compacta.** Rich dark blue, much used for bedding, vases, etc. Exceedingly beautiful, profuse blooming plants, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen, **prepaid**.

### Petunias

**DOUBLE FRINGED.** These splendid double Petunias are among our most beautiful and satisfactory flowers for Summer bedding; they thrive and bloom the whole season, even in the hottest weather, and are equally fine for flower bed and for pot culture. We send strong, well-rooted plants, sure to bloom quickly, and offer three separate colors. **White, Crimson, and Purple.** 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**.

**SINGLE MIXED.** These are fine plants grown from the best strain of selected seed, sure to produce flowers of the largest size and most brilliant and distinct colors, unsurpassed in beauty. Price, 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen, **prepaid**.



Petunias and other choice bedding plants.

### Vinca Major

A grand variegated leaf vine, useful for hanging baskets, vases, etc. 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen. Larger, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Extra large, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.



Gladiolus.

### Saliva

**Bonfire.** (Scarlet Sage) This is one of the finest of the Scarlet Sages. Its erect spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers stand clear above the dark-green foliage and completely cover the plant. 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen; larger, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**.

**Splendens.** One of the most gorgeous of annuals, blooming throughout the summer and fall. The plants are completely covered with showy sprays of bright scarlet flowers. 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen. Larger size, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen. **Prepaid**.

### Violas, or Tufted Pansies

The flowers of the Tufted Pansies are large and they bloom so freely that they are superior to other plants for edging. This collection contains all the varied and brilliant colorings, and are of the best grade. 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen, **prepaid**. Larger, 15 cents; \$1.00 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

### Verbena, Mammoth Flowered

This choice strain has large flowers of very brilliant colors and large, distinct eyes. The plants are vigorous growing and free flowering. Mixed colors. 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen, **prepaid**. Larger, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.



# Wagner Park Flowers

## Desirable Pot Plants for the House and Veranda



### SPECIAL OFFER—8 Choice House Plants (the varieties as illustrated above) \$1.00 Prepaid

The same evolution has taken place in flowers for the house and veranda as in furniture and other things to complete the decorations of the living room of to-day. The window full of blooming plants, fuschia, petunia, and a dozen others with their blossoms of brilliant hues is now seldom seen. Palms, ferns, and other plants with decorative foliage now have the preference. They are not only more attractive, but require less care and thrive where the others will not.

#### PALMS.

**ARECA LUTESCENS.** Considered by florists to be one of the most decorative plants. Withstands much rough handling and always graceful and artistic with gloss, green leaves, and golden stems. 25 cents; larger, 35 cents, **prepaid**. Extra size, 50 cents, 75 cents, and \$1.00. Large specimen plants, \$3.00 each.

**ARECA VERSCHAFFELTII.** A splendid palm, with finely-divided pinnae of a deep green color with yellowish midrib. Nice, large plants, \$1.00 each. Larger, \$1.50 each.

#### Carax

**JAPONICA VARIEGATA.** An ornamental Japanese grass which is extremely useful as a house plant; of easy growth, withstanding the dry atmosphere of the heated rooms. Excellent for the fern dish. Nice plants, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen, **prepaid**. Large size, 25 cents each, **prepaid**.

#### \$2.00 Extraordinary Offer—8 House Plants \$2.00

Nothing makes the house more cheerful and pleasant than growing plants. This is a most desirable collection of large, healthy plants for the house, and every home has a little space to devote to growing plants as here offered. These are all large size plants and must be sent by express. The varieties are as follows:

1 Kentia Palm .....	worth	\$0.75
1 Areca Palm .....	worth	.50
1 Boston Fern .....	worth	.25
1 Pieroni Fern .....	worth	.35
1 Asparagus Plumosus .....	worth	.25
1 Asparagus Sprengeri .....	worth	.25
1 Carax Japonica .....	worth	.25
1 Fern-dish Fern .....	worth	.15

Total value.....\$2.75  
Special Price on Above - - - - only \$2.00

**KENTIA BELMOREANA.** The most popular palm grown. Hardy and rugged. Under all kinds of treatment it grows sturdily on, throwing up a new leaf with most satisfactory regularity. Beautifully curved and relaxed leaves, deep green foliage. 35 cents; larger, 50 cents, **prepaid**. Extra size, 75 cents, \$1.00, and \$1.50 each.

**PHOENIX RECLINATA.** A splendid plant for the house or for outdoors; withstands whipping by summer storms without marring its foliage. Large size, \$1.50 and \$2.00 each.

**PHOENIX CANARIENSIS.** One of the finest vase plants, particularly for outdoor decoration. It is of very robust habit and easily grown; very effective and particularly ornamental for decorating court yards, verandas, etc. 50 cents. Large size plants, \$1.50 and \$2.00 each.

#### COLLECTION OF PALMS FOR CONSERVATORY.

These are all choice plants and sure to please.

1 Kentia, 24 inches high, worth	\$1.00	Special \$2.50 Price
1 Areca, 24 inches high, worth	.75	
1 Phoenix, 30 inches high, worth	1.50	
Total value - - -	\$3.25	



Carax, Japonica Variegata.



# Wagner Park Flowers

## Desirable Pot Plants for the House and Veranda

### FERNS.

Nothing can equal these beautiful decorative plants for gracefulness and beauty of foliage. We do not list all varieties, but offer only those that have proven to give entire satisfaction and worthy of culture.



Specimen Boston Fern.

**OSTRICH PLUME FERN.** (*Nephrolepis Piersoni*) This is by far the most important and remarkable new fern that has ever been sent out. Feathery, plume-like fronds, which are very broad, resemble the graceful ostrich plume. Nice young plants, 15 cents; larger, 25 cents, **prepaid**. Specimens, 50 cents, 75 cents, and \$1.00 each.

**Whitmani Fern.** The most valuable fern of this type, having very handsome, broad, plume-like fronds. Nice young plants, 15 cents; larger, 25 cents, **prepaid**. Specimen plants, 50 cents, 75 cents, and \$1.00 each.



Asparagus Plumosus.

**BOSTON FERN.** (*Nephrolepis Bostinensis*) One of the most popular of all decorative plants. The leaves are long and slender, drooping gracefully, making very elegant specimen plants. We know of no better all-around decorative plant for all purposes. Nice young plants, 15 cents; large plants, 25 cents, **prepaid**. Specimens, 50 cents, 75 cents, and \$1.00 each.

**DWARF BOSTON FERN.** (*Nephrolepis Scotti*) As a decorative house plant this will give excellent satisfaction. It may be described as a miniature Boston Fern. The fronds are shorter and narrower, gracefully recurving, and which even in a small specimen makes a finished plant with which no other plant can compare. Nice, young plants, 15 cents; larger, 25 cents, **prepaid**. Specimens, 50 cents, 75 cents, and \$1.00 each.



Partial View, Bench of Ferns in One of Our Conservatories.

### SPECIAL FERN OFFER—50 Cents, Prepaid.

Four choice, thrifty plants, including the wonderful **Whitmani** variety, for 50 cents. One each of the four varieties, largest specimens, \$1.00 size, for \$3.00. These must be sent by express.

**ASPARAGUS Plumosus Nanus.** (See cut) A beautiful plant with bright green, gracefully arched foliage. An excellent pot plant. Nice plants 10 cents; larger, 15 cents. Heavy, bushy plants, 25 cents, **prepaid**.

**ASPARAGUS Sprengeri.** Especially useful to grow as a pot plant for decorative purposes or for planting in ferneries or suspended baskets. It grows freely the whole year round; as it withstands dry atmosphere it makes an excellent house plant. Nice plants, 10 cents; larger size, 15 cents. Heavy bushy plants, 25 cents, **prepaid**.

Two each of the Asparagus in nice, large, thrifty plants, 50 cts. Of the heavy, bushy plants, 85 cts., **prepaid**.

### SMALL FERNS FOR FERN DISHES. (See Cut)

The use of ferneries as ornaments for the dinner table is very general. We can furnish at all times some fine, healthy plants of the best varieties. 10 cents each; 12 for \$1.00, **prepaid**.





## A Page of Great Flower Bargains

**We Prepay all Delivery Charges on the Collections here offered**

On this page will be found many desirable collections of plants at greatly **Reduced Prices**. Look at the value given in these "**Special Offers**." It seems almost like giving away stock. These collections consist of standard sorts, tried and true, and all varieties carefully labeled. The selection of varieties must be left to us, owing to the extremely low prices. This, however, is a wise thing to do, as we can then send varieties best adapted to the locality where to be planted.

Asst. No. 1.	Eight strong everblooming roses, plants that will produce satisfactory results .....	\$0.50	Asst. No. 1a.	Seven thrifty house Ferns, including the ostrich plume variety.....	\$0.50
Asst. No. 2.	Eighteen strong everblooming roses including three good climbing plants .....	1.00	Asst. No. 2a.	Seven fine, healthy Salvia plants. The bright scarlet-flowered variety..	.50
Asst. No. 3.	Six hardy roses, second size, all good healthy plants, sure to bloom.....	1.00	Asst. No. 3a.	Fifteen assorted bedding plants; all labeled true to name.....	1.00
Asst. No. 4.	Four choice hardy garden roses, first size, every one a beauty.....	1.00	Asst. No. 4a.	Five Cannas; most satisfactory summer blooming bedding plants.....	.50
Asst. No. 5.	Twelve thrifty, young Hardy Plants, all varieties labeled true to name.....	1.00	Asst. No. 5a.	Twelve choice Cannas in six varieties; all carefully labeled.....	1.00
Asst. No. 6.	Eight strong, healthy, Hardy Garden Pinks. The favorite of Grandmother's Garden .....	.50	Asst. No. 6a.	Four choice Dahlias, no two alike; fine for bedding.....	.50
Asst. No. 7.	Twenty-five strong, healthy Hardy Plants, five distinct varieties.....	2.00	Asst. No. 7a.	Fifteen thrifty Coleus plants; these have brightly, showy foliage.....	.50
Asst. No. 8.	Ten choice Hardy Chrysanthemums; the beautiful fall flower.....	1.00	Asst. No. 8a.	Fifteen assorted plants for hanging baskets, urns, or boxes.....	1.00
Asst. No. 9.	Ten nice young, thrifty Phlox plants; sure to bloom and give satisfaction...	1.00	Asst. No. 9a.	Six plants, fine Petunias. Three choice double and three choice single	.50

### ASSORTMENT No. 10

**Special Offer \$2.00**

**A Grandmother's Garden Collection**

**\$2.00 Special Offer**

"Give me the good, old, week-day blossoms  
I used to see so long ago,  
With hearty sweetness in their bosoms  
Ready and glad to bud and blow."

We supply the following choice varieties in this collection, and if planted in good, ordinary soil, will produce good results even the first year. The plants are all hardy and will increase in beauty and size year after year.

#### Tall Varieties—

- 1 Hollyhock.
- 1 Pyrenthrum Ulignosum.
- 1 Phlox.
- 1 Delphinium.
- 1 Helianthus Maximillian.
- 1 Rubdeckia (Golden Glow).

#### Medium Height Varieties—

- 1 Japan Iris.
- 1 Boltonia Nana.
- 1 Aster Tartarica.
- 1 Aquilegia.
- 1 Physostegia.
- 1 Tritoma.
- 1 Chrysanthemum.
- 1 Iris Siberica.

#### Dwarf Varieties—

- 1 Sedum.
- 1 Hardy Pink.
- 1 Violet.
- 1 Shasta Daisy.
- 1 Gaillardia.
- 1 Hemerocallis.
- 1 German Iris.

The twenty plants listed above, all district varieties for only \$2.00. Try this collection.



This assortment is appropriate for border beds; also for formal gardens. In planting, set the tall varieties in the rear of the bed. In round beds, use the tall varieties for the center.

The twenty varieties in extra heavy clumps for producing immediate effects, for \$5.00, by express. These plants are too heavy for mail.

Such Results as Here Illustrated are Obtained with Wagner Park Plants.





# Wagner Park Flowers



## Collection of Plants for Verandas and Foundations, Borders, Etc.

**Inexpensive collections of shrubs suitable for veranda and foundation plantings. Beautiful effects even with our \$2.50 collection.**

For the convenience of those who do not have the knowledge, or have not the time to study the catalogue and select plants that will give good and effective results, we have arranged the following assortments, which are suitable for planting against veranda and house foundations or for general grouping. With these various assortments you will find some to meet your particular needs and give the same results as illustrated on this page. Nothing makes the home more beautiful and suggests cheerfulness, peace, and rest than a mass of shrubbery planted about the house, bordering the fences or screening out objectionable views. We use in these assortments only desirable varieties, such that we know will give satisfaction. Prices of assortments are extremely low and selection of varieties must be left to us.

**Assortment No. V-A—10 Nice thrifty Hardy Shrubs, \$2.50.**  
Extra large plants for immediate effects, \$5.00.

**Assortment No. V-B—20 Nice thrifty Hardy Shrubs, \$4.50.**  
Extra large plants for immediate effect, \$9.00.

**Assortment No. V-C—25 Nice thrifty Hardy Shrubs, \$5.25.**  
Extra large plants for immediate effect, \$10.00.



The illustration shows how easy it is to have attractive surroundings at the entrance to your home by simply planting a row or two of shrubs at the foundation of the veranda or house. Notice the picturesqueness and character these add to the appearance of the house and how much more attractive they are than if the same space would be planted with tender flowers which would be an annual expense and trouble to plant every year.

**Assortment No. V-D—50 Nice thrifty Hardy Shrubs, \$10.00.**  
Extra large plants for immediate effect, \$20.00.

**Assortment No. V-E—100 Nice thrifty Hardy Shrubs, \$18.00.**  
Extra large plants for immediate effect, \$35.00.

## Some Special Assortments for Formal Flower Gardens

We here offer a few very desirable assortments for those having a suitable piece of ground and desire a formal flower garden. While it is not necessary to exactly carry out the design here shown, yet it will give you some idea as to how to plan a formal garden. Much of the charm of your planting will come from the fact that you have arranged the plants yourself, and which should make it all the more interesting.

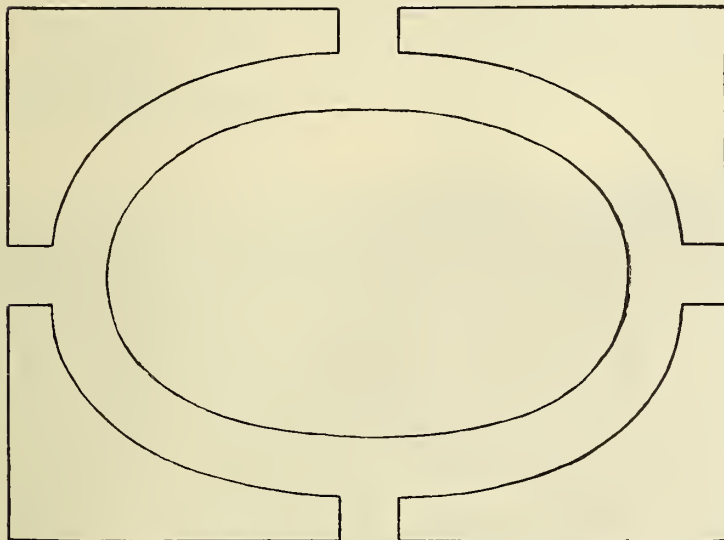
**Assortment No. F 1**, for space 20 x 30 feet, consisting of 100 nice, thrifty Hardy Plants, \$12.00; in extra large, heavy plants, \$25.00.

**Assortment No. F 2**, for space 30 x 50 feet, consisting of 300 nice, thrifty Hardy Plants, \$35.00; in extra large, heavy plants, \$70.00.

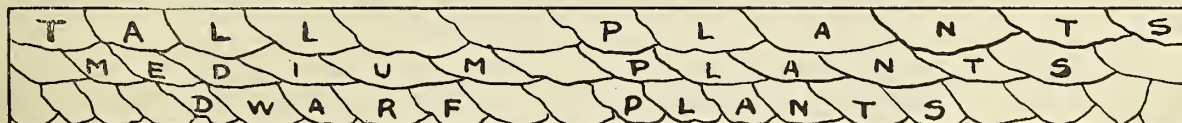
**Assortment No. F 3**, for space 40 x 60 feet, consisting of 500 nice, thrifty Hardy Plants, \$50.00; in extra large, heavy plants, \$100.00.

If you find that the above assortments do not meet your requirements, we shall be glad to furnish designs for more elaborate plantings. Correspondence solicited from parties desiring such work.

Proportionate quantities of tall, medium, and dwarf varieties are selected in filling orders for the above collections, and all plants are labeled so any one with judgment can satisfactorily arrange them.



A Desirable Design for a Formal Garden.



The sketch above shows one of the simplest and most popular ways of planting a border bed of hardy plants.



# Wagner Park Flowers

## Wagner's Hardy Borders are Perennial Pleasures

Wagner Hardy Borders are made up of the handsomest and hardiest of Perennials and Herbaceous Plants already arranged for setting out with a view to securing the finest effect in the space at command and the longest period of harmonious bloom.

Varieties in every Wagner Border are labeled, numbered, and packed in proper order for planting. You can make a perfect picture of your place with one of these artistic color schemes. And REMEMBER!—once established, a Wagner Hardy Border needs little care for years.

These collections are suitable for borders along fences, screens, boundary lines, walks, and formal gardens.

**Assortment No. B-1** For bed 4 x 10 feet, consisting of 15 thrifty Hardy plants, \$2.25; extra large plants, \$3.75.

**Assortment No. B-2** For bed 4 x 20 feet, consisting of 30 thrifty Hardy plants, \$4.50; extra large plants, \$7.50.

**Assortment No. B-3** For bed 5 x 10 feet consisting of 20 thrifty, Hardy plants, \$3.00; extra large plants, \$5.00.

**Assortment No. B-4** For bed 5 x 10 feet, consisting of 40 thrifty Hardy plants, \$6.00; extra large plants, \$10.00.

**SPECIAL ASSORTMENTS**  
**No. B-5** 25 Nice, thrifty Hardy plants, \$3.75; in extra large plants, \$6.25.  
**No. B-6** 50 Nice, thrifty Hardy plants, \$7.50; in extra large plants, \$12.50.

Below we offer some assortments for those who want a quantity of one kind of plants for individual beds. We recommend these hardy plants in place of tender flowers as better and more artistic results may be accomplished, as well as their being more economical and less labor on account of when once planted they last almost an endless time.



Don't miss the joy of a Wagner Hardy Border. A brilliant succession of bloom from spring to fall. Handsomest and hardiest of the prime old favorites combined by an expert artist-gardener for the best effect of color and contour.

### ASSORTMENTS

**No. B-10** For circular bed 6 feet in diameter consisting of 20 nice, thrifty Phlox plants in two varieties, \$2.50; in extra large plants, \$4.00.

**No. B-14** For circular bed 6 feet in diameter consisting of 18 Peonies in three varieties, \$3.50; in extra large plants, \$6.00.

**No. B-15** For circular bed 10 feet in diameter consisting of 30 Peonies in four varieties, \$5.50; in extra large plants, \$10.00.

**No. B-16** 20 nice, thrifty plants, Wagner Park Daisies, \$3.00; in extra large plants, \$5.00.

**No. B-17** 20 nice plants, German Iris, \$2.00; in extra large plants, \$3.50.

**No. B-18** 15 nice, thrifty Eulalias in three varieties, \$2.00; in extra large plants, \$4.50.

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A Very Artistic and Attractive Planting.



# Wagner Park Flowers

## We Will Make Your Garden Bloom from Springtime Until Frost

Let us advise you as to how you can secure the utmost beauty and delight from your garden.

We offer the advice and service of our landscape architects and gardeners to assist you in making your surroundings more beautiful.



A PLAN for laying out grounds properly is as necessary as a plan for building a house. A mistake made in the beginning often costs many times the small expense of a plan or having a landscape architect view the grounds, to say nothing about the annoyance and delay in securing the desired effect. Wagner plans and planting have been utilized in every State in the Union, and in many foreign countries. We are prepared to submit ideas for gardens in any climate and any soil.

On the following terms we will make a sketch showing how to lay out and plant your grounds in an artistic and attractive way. Send us a rough sketch of your grounds, showing location of buildings, walks, drives, if any, also trees and shrubbery, or any other permanent things already established and that are not to be removed. Show location of all the entrances to lot and buildings, any objectionable or desirable views from the residence, and grades of any importance. Photographs will also be of valuable assistance if convenient to send. The sketch need not be drawn to scale, but should give the width and depth of the lot, and other principal dimensions.

When the sketch is sent us, remit one dollar (\$1.00), for which we will at once send a coupon for the amount, and this coupon will be accepted by us as part payment on an order amounting to \$5.00 or more. We wish to impress upon the minds of our customers that this is not a scheme of any kind by which we are receiving pay for the sketch, but it is done only as a safeguard against some curious persons that would impose upon us and ask for plans with little or no intention of making use of them. These plans we furnish are not stock plans, but you will receive a plan made especially for your own grounds. The planting arrangement is worked out by our Landscape Architects to meet the requirements of your place.

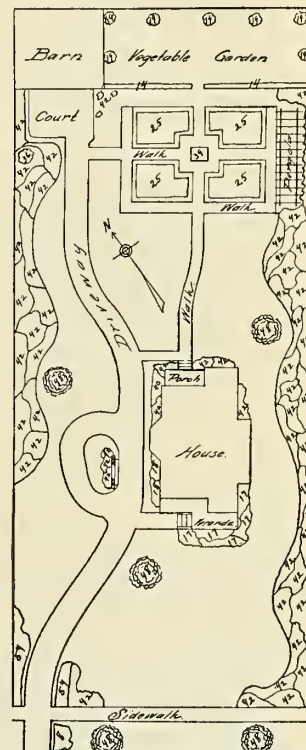
We make plans for the surrounding of the humblest little cottage as well as the extensive and elaborate estate, public parks, factory grounds, schools, universities, sanitariums, etc.

**Note.**—The above arrangement, however, applies principally to home grounds of moderate size and not to extensive or elaborate grounds where a large amount of work is involved. We are prepared, also, to do this class of work, and solicit correspondence from parties desiring such work. We furnish plans by mail, or, when desired, will send a landscape gardener to do the work or instruct you how to do it. Our terms for this class of work are always very reasonable.

### We design and plant large public and private grounds of all kinds

Planting and furnishing stock for parks, factory grounds, schools, universities, sanitariums, and hotel grounds is one of our specialties, and we are prepared to plan and advise how and what to plant to produce the best results with the least amount of labor and expenditure. Call on us when in need of such service; we assure satisfaction.

OUR ARCHITECTS GO EVERYWHERE TO PLAN AND PLANT.



Reproduced Illustration of One of Our Plans.



This Illustration Shows How Attractive Grounds May Be Made by Artistic Arrangement and Proper Planting. The Results of Wagner Service and Nursery Stock.





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## Wagner's Lawn Grass Seed

### How to Make a Lawn

All good gardeners now use seed for the making of a good lawn in preference to turf or sod. The preparation of the ground is an important feature and the best soil is a medium texture, neither very heavy nor exceedingly light; the surface should be thoroughly pulverized and level. Remove all stones, sticks, sods, etc., harrow or rake it fine and roll it firm. It is impossible to get the soil too fine to receive the seed. Sow the best seed obtainable; it is always cheapest in the end. It is best to sow seed liberally, not only to produce a lawn quickly, but because the best lawn seed produces fine-leaved grasses, which should take entire possession of the ground at once, thus choking out and preventing the development of any weed seeds, which are apt to be in all soils. Distribute seed evenly, going both ways across the plot. After sowing, cover the seed by raking lightly; then roll the ground.

When the grass has become well rooted, use lawn mower for cutting it, and keep mower sharp, as if dull it will pull and injure the grass, besides causing the lawn to have an uneven appearance. Never allow the grass to become so high that the mower will take off the first joint, as this is an injury. Mow as often as necessary; in growing weather, at least once a week. Let the short clippings remain on the lawn, as they wither and dry and form a protection to the roots. When the clippings are long, they should be raked off, for, besides being unsightly, they are also injurious. When the weather is dry and hot, avoid cutting too close.

### Quality of Lawn Grass Seed Usually Required in Making a New Lawn.

10 x 25 feet requires.....	1 pound	40 x 60 feet requires.....	10 pounds
25 x 50 feet requires.....	5 pounds	50 x 100 feet requires.....	16 pounds
40 x 50 feet requires.....	8 pounds	50 x 150 feet requires.....	24 pounds

For Renewing Old Lawns—Use about one-half the quantity given above.

“WAGNER PARK” Grass Seed—A special mixture which we prepare. Prices: 35 cents per pound; 5 pounds for \$1.60; bushel (20 pounds) for \$6.00.

“PREMIUM” Grass Seed—This mixture, while not quite equal in quality to “Wagner Park” variety, is a good, clean mixture and an excellent lawn may be produced with it. Prices: 30 cents per pound; 5 pounds, \$1.35; bushel (16 pounds) \$4.00.

“SHADY LAWN” Grass Seed—Fine for shady places and where other grasses will not grow. 40 cents per pound; 5 pounds, \$1.75; bushel (16 pounds), \$5.00.

Prices of seed for Golf grounds quoted on application.

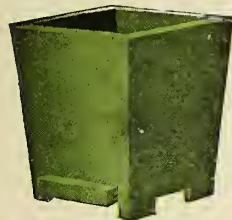


# Garden Furniture

We Here List Some Very Desirable Articles for the House, Veranda, and Lawn. They are All Made in Our Own Extensive Factory, and Offered at Most Reasonable Prices.

We use heartwood Cypress exclusively, of which wood can be said, "Cypress is indeed the wood eternal." It lasts forever. Cypress does not shrink or swell like most woods, takes paint perfectly, and defies decay.

All our boxes are finished in Flemish green, which harmonizes well with all surroundings. In formal gardens it is sometimes desirable to have them painted white, and if wanted in white we charge 15 cents extra for all sizes except boxes larger than 18 x 18 and window boxes larger than 36 inches, for which our charge is 25 cents extra. Measurements of all boxes are outside and inside dimensions.



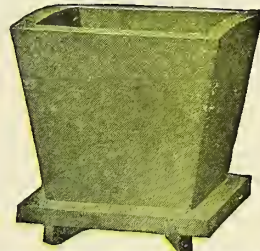
**Wagner Plant Box  
No. 1**

Outside	Inside	Each
Size 8x8—like cut,	6x6..	\$0.90
Size 10x10—like cut,	8x8..	1.10
Size 12x12—like cut,	10x10..	1.30

**Wagner Plant Box No. 1**

**Wagner Plant Box  
No. 2**

Outside	Inside	Each
Size 8x8—like cut,	6x8..	\$1.00
Size 10x10—like cut,	8x8..	1.20
Size 12x12—like cut,	10x10..	1.45



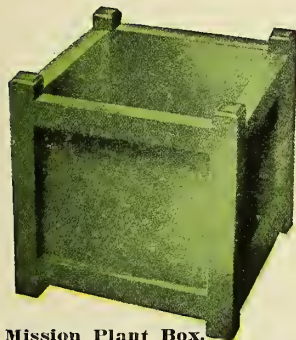
**Wagner Plant Box No. 2.**

## Morris Plant Boxes

Outside	Inside	Each
Size 12x12—made like cut,	10x10.....	\$1.25
Size 14x14—made like cut,	12x12.....	1.75
Size 18x18—made like cut,	16x16.....	2.50
Size 22x22—made like cut,	20x20.....	3.50
Size 26x26—made like cut,	24x24.....	5.50

## Mission Plant Boxes

Outside	Inside	Each
Size 10x10—made like cut,	8x8.....	\$1.50
Size 12x12—made like cut,	10x10.....	1.75
Size 14x14—made like cut,	10½x10½.....	2.50
Size 18x18—made like cut,	14½x14½.....	3.25
Size 22x22—made like cut,	18½x18½.....	4.50
Size 26x26—made like cut,	22½x22½.....	6.00



**Mission Plant Box.**

## Artcraft Plant Boxes

Outside	Inside	Each
Size 10x10	8x8.....	\$1.85
Size 12x12	10x10.....	2.15
Size 14x14	10½x10½.....	3.00



**Morris Plant Box.**

Outside	Inside	Each
Size 18x18	14½x14½.....	\$3.90
Size 22x22	18½x18½.....	5.00
Size 26x26	22½x22½.....	6.50



**Artercraft Plant Box.**

## Veranda and Window Boxes

These are designed after our very popular and well-known Mission Plant Boxes, and with the variety of sizes we offer, can be arranged to suit any size space. All are twelve inches wide and twelve inches high, outside measurements. Fixtures for fastening to building are sent with each box.

Outside	Inside
Box 24 in. 20½ in....	\$2.75
Box 30 in. 26½ in....	3.25
Box 60 in. long outside,	57½ in. inside, \$6.00.

## We Supply Pergolas

The Pergola, or Arbor, if properly constructed, adds to the beauty of any lawn or garden. We can supply them to suit any setting, and all material complete, also give full instructions for setting up. All wood material is given one coat of lead and oil. Prices: 8 feet long, \$32; 16 feet, \$51.50; 24 feet, \$69.00; 32 feet, \$88.00; 40 feet, \$107.00; 48 feet, \$126.50. Width, 8 feet from center to center of columns. Columns 10 inches in diameter.



**Wagner Lawn Seat.**

## Lawn Seats

Our Lawn Seats are very handsome in design, and our efforts directed to turning out seats that are thoroughly well-made and durable. No matter how small or how large the space—in the flower garden, on the veranda, on the lawn, or elsewhere—a lawn seat will be found useful. Plain in design, but neat and very durable.

We finish these seats in white, this being the most desirable color.

### PRICE OF LAWN SEATS.

Made like cut, 4 feet long, 14 inches wide.....	\$8.00	\$15.00
Made like cut, 5 feet long, 16 inches wide.....	12.00	23.00

All material used in these lawn seats is selected heartwood cypress.

## We Furnish Sun Dials

"Amidst ye flowers I tell ye hours."

The columns of our Sun Dials are given several coats of the best white paint and are carefully wrapped and packed to prevent damage in shipping. Full instructions for setting up are also given. Prices: plain column with good bronze dial, \$15.00; fluted column with high grade bronze dial, \$23.50. Columns 10 inches in diameter and 42 inches high, including cap and base.

## Colonial Plant Kettles

They are finished with dead black japan, giving them the appearance of the many artistic things that are made in wrought iron. Holes in bottom provide drainage. Are made of cast iron, giving them a lasting value.

### PRICES OF COLONIAL KETTLES.

No. 0—12¾" diam. 9¼" high	\$1.75	No. 3—20½" diam. 14" high	\$2.75
No. 1—16½" diam. 11½" high	2.00	No. 4—22" diam. 14½" high	3.25
No. 2—18½" diam. 13" high	2.25	No. 5—23½" diam. 15½" high	3.50

Please Order by Number; measurements given are inside.



**Colonial Plant Kettle.**





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